THE WEATHER
SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity—This afternoon and tonight cloudy, unsettled weather with showers; Wednesday rain; brisk southeast wind.

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# JAPANESE GENERAL STAFF HAVE LEFT FOR CHEMULPO

FORWARD MOVEMENT WILL BEGIN IMMEDIATELY

ALL NECESSARY TROOPS NOW IN KOREA

**PARIS, March 1—The Associated Press correspondent is informed that authoritative advices have been received in Paris to the effect that the Japanese General Staff left Japan today for Chemulpo, Korea.**

**This is accepted as showing that all the troops necessary for the forward movement have been landed in Korea and it is said that the movement of troops forward will begin the last of this week.**

## JAPANESE FORTIFY ICHIO YANG IN KOREA.

### General Mistchenchenko With Cossacks Anticipated by Force, Fortifying Walls of the Town.

LIAO-YANG, Manchuria, March 1.—The Japanese have occupied Ichio Yang, Korea, and are now fortifying the walls of the town. This was the objective point of General Mistchenko, who, with a detachment of mounted Cossacks was announced yesterday had reached Kasanja, Korea, and was expected to arrive at Ichio Yang yesterday.

A detachment of Russian troops is in the neighborhood of Ichio Yang. The Koreans are averse to giving the Russians information regarding the movements of the Japanese.

The Chinese troops around Liau Che are being reinforced. Yuan Shi Kai, the Chinese Commander-in-Chief has 10,000 men near Juaipyn Fu, while 15,000 men are with General Ma. Fresh troops are arriving in the province of Chi Li.

RUSSIANS BRINGING UP THE GUNS IN THE FIRST ENGAGEMENT ON LAND OF THE PRESENT WAR IN THE FAR EAST.

## SLAYS HIMSELF IN HIS WIFE'S PRESENCE.

### Nathan W. Mallory of Berkeley Shoots Himself in the Head and Dies in an Instant.

BERKELEY, March 1.—Newton W. Mallory, a surgical instrument merchant, whose place of business is in rooms 110, 111, 112, Crocker building, San Francisco, committed suicide this morning at 3 o'clock by shooting himself in the neck with a revolver while he lay in bed.

The tragedy occurred at Mallory's Berkeley home, 2430 Fulton street, where he resides with his wife.

**WIFE PRESENT.**

Mrs. Mallory was lying in an adjoining bed in the same room when her husband fired the fatal shot. Horrified, she jumped up and dressed herself and went out for a doctor, but when medical help arrived, her husband was dead.

**FOUND HOLDING REVOLVER.**

When found by Dr. Whitworth, Mallory still lay in bed and in his hand held the revolver from which the shot had been fired.

On the floor beside the bed lay an open grip from which the revolver had evidently been taken.

There was not a note or word of any kind left by the dead man to explain his act, and it can be accounted for in no other way by Mrs. Mallory than by the belief that he had become despondent because his health was not of the best.

**AT THEATER LAST NIGHT.**

The dead man was in fine spirits last night. In fact, he took his wife and Miss Wood, a friend of the family who was employed by Mallory in his store, to the theater in San Francisco. They enjoyed the performance at the Lyceum and Mr. Mallory and his wife took a late train home for Berkeley.

**PLANNED HUNTING TRIP.**

According to the story told by Mrs. Mallory to Deputy Coroner Streightif, in Berkeley, this morning, herself and husband arrived at their home on Fulton street at about 1 o'clock a. m. Having some work to do, she did not go to bed immediately and, during a conversation with her husband, the latter told her of a trip he had planned for today to his hunting camp on Tomales bay, in Marin county. She said it would be impossible for her to go with him on account of some work she had to do today. Mallory then retired to his room, apparently in good spirits. Shortly afterward his wife followed him, retiring to her bed in the same room. She did not go to sleep immediately, however, but left the light burning that she might read in bed.

Again her husband asked her to accompany him to his camp in Marin county, but she told him that it would be impossible.

**WIFE FELL ASLEEP.**

While reading Mrs. Mallory fell asleep and left her light burning. At about 3 o'clock she was startled to hear a pistol shot and, rushing to her husband's side, found him in the convulsions of death.

Dr. G. F. Whitworth was immediately summoned but when he arrived a few moments after the deed had been committed the suicide had already breathed his last.

**BADLY POWDER-BURNED.**

Mallory had held the pistol so close to his neck that the flesh and night robe were badly powder-burned. The flash from the powder was so strong that the clothing almost caught on fire.

**STILL HELD THE PISTOL.**

The remains were not disturbed until Deputy Coroner Streightif was summoned. The hand that was stilled in death firmly grasped the pistol which was held close against the body of the deceased.

Mallory did not even get out of his bed to secure the pistol with which he took his life. It was his custom to carry the firearm in a small grip which he had placed by the side of

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## AFTER THE BEEF TRUST WORKERS.

### House Committee Favors Investigation At Once.

***Want President However to Submit Finding to Congress.***

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Whether the "beef trust," in violating the injunction, is to be made the subject of investigation by the Department of Commerce and Labor, according to a resolution ordered to the House today by the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. Should the House take favorable action on the resolution which is to be called up at the earliest possible moment by Chairman Hepburn, it will constitute the first introduction from Congress to the new department to exercise the powers given it under the laws to investigate the operation of industrial institutions.

The resolution was introduced in the House February 4th by Mr. Martin of South Dakota. Mr. Martin was given an extended hearing by the committee to which he made the assertion that the trust was violating the spirit of the injunction, if not its letters. The resolution was amended so as to provide that the report of the investigation should go to the President is provided in the law creating the new department, instead of to Congress.

This amendment was opposed by Representative Richardson of Alabama, a member of the committee who held that the report should be made to the House, inasmuch as to require the investigation to be made. It is deemed advisable, however, to stay by the law and investigation has been made to pass another resolution recommending the President to submit the findings to the House.

**SEWELL NEARING HOME.**

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The Secretary of the Navy has been informed of the arrival of a supply ship at San Francisco with Commander William E. Sewell, commandant of the naval station at Guam, who is very much broken down in health, on board.

## NO TROOPS WILL GO TO PANAMA.

### Order to Contrary Has Now Been Set Aside.

***Cabinet Will Leave All Work to Be Done By Marines.***

WASHINGTON, March 1.—It was decided today at the Cabinet meeting that troops should not be sent to the Isthmus of Panama. Orders that had been sent to the Third Infantry to be prepared for service there will be revoked.

Marines will continue to guard the interests on the Isthmus.

The Cabinet was influenced in its decision by the disinclination to have two jurisdictions on the Isthmus and as naval vessels must remain there for some time it was decided to allow the marines to continue the land duty.

## RUSSIANS "FEELING" FOR LITTLE JAPS.

SEOUL, March 1.—Advices from the north report that 1400 Russians are at Chong Ju, 500 at Kusong and 50 at Anju. These forces are probably only feelers sent out to locate the position of the Japanese.

All the Americans formerly at Sunchung, with the exception of one family, have arrived at Ping Yang.

The Emperor of Korea has dissolved the organization of the Peddlers' Guild, which has been a disturbing factor of the situation.

## RUSSIANS EAGER TO MEET JAPS.

MUKDEN, Manchuria, March 1.—The troops are in excellent spirits, expecting to meet the Japanese soon.

The Japanese fleet has not attacked Port Arthur since February 26th. The Japanese are greatly discouraged by their failure to block the harbor.

## RUSSIAN SHIPS WILL ENTER SUEZ CANAL.

SUEZ, Egypt, March 1.—The Russian battleship Ostayba, the transport Saratoff and four torpedo boat destroyers will enter the canal tomorrow.

The Russian armored cruiser Dimitri Donskoi has applied for permission to remain here for repairs, which will probably take a fortnight to complete.

**BLOCKADED IN THE CANAL.**

PORT SAID, March 1.—The Russian cruiser Aurora, due here this morning from Suez, has been blockaded in the canal since midnight probably by other vessels. The Russian torpedo boat destroyers have arrived here.

**TO COMMAND BALTIC FLEET.**

SEBASTOPOL, Russia, March 1.—Vice Admiral Bezobrazoff has left here for Cronstadt to take command of the second division of the Baltic fleet. Admiral Bezobrazoff is greatly beloved by the sailors, many of whom gathered at the railroad station to bid him farewell.

## MARSHALL TELLS HIS STORY

**EXPLANATION, VICKSBURG ACT SATISFACTORY TO RUSSIANS.**

ST. PETERSBURG, March 1.—All the papers publish Commodore Marshall's report of the Vicksburg incident off Chemulpo, and the reasons for his not uniting in the protest of the naval commanders against the Japanese.

These statements will doubtless clear up the misapprehension existing here concerning the affair. Coming simultaneously with the announcement that the State Department had decided to countermand the orders that Edward V. Morgan, appointed United States Consul at Port Dalny proceed to his post, Commander Marshall's report should have good effect in allaying the anti-American irritation.

## MUST NOT MOLIST JEWISH SURGEON.

KIEFF, Russia, March 1.—The Governor of Kieff has instructed the local police not to interefer with the families of servants of Jewish surgeons who have gone to the Far East, although the law forbids them to remain outside the pale.

## BIG LION DINES ON A HORSE.

### First Kills Animal and Then Defies Pursuers.

SAN JOSE, March 1.—Last night a trained lion owned by Frank Hall, which had been shipped to this city in a cage, the cage being in a car, at the other end of which and beyond a partition, was a horse also owned by Hall, escaped from his cage and broke through the partition, killed the animal and made a breakfast upon him. Men have been endeavoring since morning to get the lion into a cage, but have not yet succeeded, as he has been made savage by his feast and the presence of so many people outside his car. The lion was to have been exhibited here tomorrow in connection with the Norris & Rowe animal show.

## JAPS FAIL TO BLOW UP THE DOCK AT VLADIVOSTOK

### Alleged Captain of Japanese Staff Slays Russian Officer For Fancied Insult.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 1.—Mail advices from Vladivostok say that 500 Chinese brigands are terrorizing the District of Ninguta. Their leader, Yavanten, proclaims himself invulnerable to bullets.

Advices received by mail from Siberia say that local firms whose employes have been called into the service of the army are continuing to pay the married men full wages and the unmarried men half pay.

Letters from Vladivostok, dated February 17th, say that the warships in the harbor on that date were the Rossia, Gromoboi and Rutik and the transport Moskova. The port was frozen hard and the ice breakers were scarcely able to clear the channel.

Two Japanese attempted to blow up a dock at Vladivostok, but did not succeed. They escaped. A Japanese barber at Vladivostok, deeming himself insulted by a Russian officer, shot him dead, then announced dramatically that he was a captain of the Japanese general staff.

**CHOICE AUCTION SALE.**

We have received instructions from Mr. Coffin to sell his fine furniture, piano, carpets, etc., at public auction. Sale Wednesday, March 2, at 11 a. m., at his residence, 961 Market street, near Tenth, Oakland.

Comprising in part: One fine concert grand piano, one solid mahogany parlor suit (cost $350), odd parlor pieces, couches, choice collection of pictures, lace curtains, Brussels carpets, oak dining table, sideboard and chairs to match, silver and glassware, gas stove, fine brass and enameled beds, bedding, oak bedroom suits, hair mattresses, three elegant mantel folding beds, oak dressers, hall tree, chiffoniers, 8x12 rugs and mirrors, kitchen furniture, etc.

All must and will be sold.

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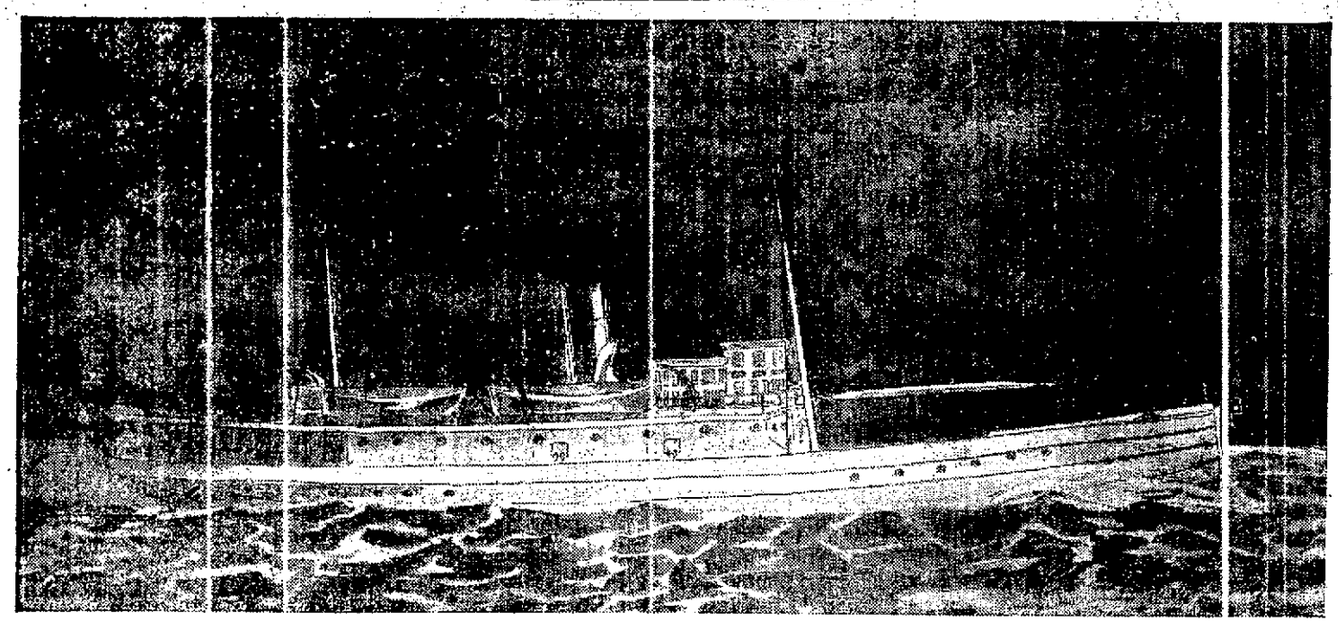
# GOVERNMENT'S NEW BOAT.



The United States quartermaster's steamer General Mifflin was launched at 10 o'clock yesterday at the Risdon Iron Works, Potrero. As the boat glided down the ways she was christened by Miss Lottie Patten, who broke the bottle of champagne on the bow and called the new vessel General Mifflin.

The vessel was specially designed for service on the bay by Naval Constructor A. C. Dicerlex. Her proportions are:

Length over all, 132 feet 3 inches; length between perpendiculars, 123 feet 7 inches; breadth molded, 37 feet; depth molded, 12 feet 10 inches; load draft, 9 feet 6 inches; speed 13 miles per hour.

The vessel is built of steel to the highest requirements for the service intended, and is perfectly up-to-date as regards design of hull, machinery and equipment and rigged fore and aft as a schooner with two pole masts.

She is designed and built with the idea in view of making her a bulk water carrier for the different stations around the bay, and if at any time she may be called upon to do service outside the heads, her construction and equipment are such that she will be able to keep the sea in any kind of weather and while large carrying capacity was a desideratum the lines of the hull are quite graceful.

# RAISE FEDERAL SALARIES.

### PURPOSE OF BILL INTRODUCED IN UPPER HOUSE BY GALLINGER.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Senator Gallinger today introduced a bill increasing the salaries of the executive officers of the government and also of Senators and members of the House of Representatives. The bill fixes the following scale:

President, $75,000; Vice-President, $15,000; Speaker of the House, $12,000; members of the Cabinet, $15,000 each; Senators and members of the House, $8000 each.

The bill provides that the new salaries shall take effect March 4, 1905.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 1.—General Van Noveski, former Minister of War, died last night.

# HELPLESS ONES TO MOVE.

### RUSSIANS MOVE WOMEN AND CHILDREN FROM PLACES OF DANGER.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 1.—The military authorities are causing to be removed from all stragetic points in the Far East the women and children and all aged and infirm people so that the necessity of protecting them will not be added to the other duties of the troops and in order that all supplies may be available for the use of the actual combatants.

### SUGAR GOES UP.

NEW YORK, March 1.—All grades of refined sugar were advanced 5 per cent per hundred pounds today.

# OAKLAND GIRL TO STAR SOON.

MISS GRACE HULL.

Clever Ingenue who is steadily climbing to merited distinction in her chosen profession on the stage.

Gracie Craib de Wolfe, the Oakland girl who has scored such a success upon the stage as Grace Hull, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Craib of this city.

Miss Hull has signed a contract to star for three years under the management of Morton W. Sanford of Minneapolis. The company is to produce "Way Down West" with Miss Hull in the star role of Posey, and negotiations are now under way to have one of the popular books of the season dramatized next year for the bright little ingenue, whose career promises to be a brilliant one.

Miss Hull will go East in July to begin rehearsals for her engagement, which will open in August, and her many friends will be pleased to hear that she has fully recovered from her recent illness, which threatened to be fatal. Miss Hull had an operation for appendicitis in New York, and was a patient at St. Luke's Hospital for eight weeks before her return here.

She has completed her engagement in "Sky Farm," where she scored such a success previous to her illness. She has been visiting her sister in Chicago recently, who is well known as clever Alice Lovell Taylor, now playing with the Blanche Walsh Company. When Miss Taylor comes to Portland Mrs. Craib will visit her in that city. Miss Tottie Craib, society editor of the Los Angeles Herald, is one of the clever trio of sisters, who is making a success in newspaper work fully as gratifying as that of her sisters on the stage.


# Salinger's Offerings for Tomorrow

## Are exceptional in point of quality and price. An unparalleled Bargain opportunity

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FIT QUALITY AND WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED. REMEMBER TOMORROW AND THE SAVINGS.

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# FARMERS' SOCIETY CHANGES NAME.

OMAHA, Neb., March 1.—Twenty States were represented by more than 250 delegates to the National Co-operative Grain Growers and Stock Raisers' Association when that body convened here today.

H. N. Gaines of Topeka, Kansas, was made chairman and Robert Lindblom of Chicago secretary. The executive committee presented the proposed new legislation. It provides that the name of the association shall be changed to the Farmers' National Exchange Company. Its object shall be to buy, sell and deal in grain, live stock and all kinds of produce on commission and otherwise, and for that purpose build and equip elevators, warehouses, cold storage plants, stock yards and whatever shall be necessary for the carrying on of the business of the company.

The capital stock is placed at $50,000,000, with 5,000,000 shares of $10 each. The company shall be governed by nine directors, who shall have power to absorb other similar associations. State and local exchanges are provided for.

# PATRONIZE ONLY AMERICAN SHIPS.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The bill providing that supplies for the army and navy should be carried in American ships passed the Senate 35 to 17.

### MAY SELL LANDS.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The House today passed a bill giving the consent of the House to the sale of allotted lands on the Puyallup reservation, in Washington State.

Consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill was then resumed in the Committee of the Whole.

# STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—The following stock quotations up to noon today are furnished by Sutro & Co., of 321 Montgomery street:

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| **UNITED STATES BONDS.** | | |
| 3% Coupon | 106 | 107 |
| 4% New Coupon | 132½ | ..... |
| **MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.** | | |
| Bay Coun Power Co 5% | 100½ | ..... |
| Cal C G & E G M & C 1 5% | ..... | 95 |
| Ferries & Cliff House R R 6% | 112 | ..... |
| Los An Pacific 1st Co's 5% | 101¾ | ..... |
| Mkt St Ry 1st Cons M g 5% | 114 | ..... |
| Oakland Transit Co 5% | 111 | 112 |
| Pacific Gas Improve. 4% | 94 | 95 |
| Pac Electric Ry 5% | 105⅛ | 105¾ |
| Sant Elec, Gas & Ry 5% | 99¼ | 100 |
| S F & S J Valley 5% | 118 | 119 |
| S P RR of Ariz 6% 1909 | 105½ | 106 |
| S P RR of Ariz 6% 1910 | 106¾ | ..... |
| S P Branch Ry of Cal 6% | 134 | ..... |
| Spring Valley Water 6% | 104¼ | ..... |
| Spring Val Wt 3d Mtg 4% | 98¼ | 99 |
| Stockton Gas & Elec Co 6% | ..... | 100 |
| **WATER STOCKS.** | | |
| Spring Valley Water Co | 40 | 40½ |
| **GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.** | | |
| Cen Light & Power Co | 3¾ | 3¾ |
| San Fran Gas & Elec Co | 57½ | 58 |
| **BANK STOCKS.** | | |
| Bank of California | ..... | 452½ |
| **POWDER STOCKS.** | | |
| Giant | 61 | ..... |
| **SUGAR STOCKS.** | | |
| Hawaiian Com & Sug Co | 44½ | 45 |
| Honokaa Sugar Co | 11¾ | 12½ |
| Makaweli Sugar Co | 20 | 21½ |
| Onomea Sugar Co | 22⅝ | ..... |
| Paauhau S P Co | 11½ | ..... |
| **MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.** | | |
| Alaska Packers' Assn | 136 | 137 |
| California Wine Assn | 92 | 95 |
| Oceanic Steamship Co | 4½ | 4¾ |

**SALES.**

10 S V Water ..... 40⅛
5 S V Water ..... 40¼
1000 Los Angeles Pac ..... 101½
1000 S P of Ariz 1909 ..... 105⅝
5000 Pac Elec ..... 105⅝

# TRIBUTE FROM HIS OLD TEACHER.

### SUPERINTENDENT CRAWFORD'S MEMORIES OF WILLIAM E. DARGIE JR.

The death of William E. Dargie Jr., removes from among us a noble nature. The loss, while overwhelming to the parents and near relatives, is not to them alone. The community at large has suffered a great loss while the circle of friends which knew him intimately feels keenly this ruthless breaking of the tie of friendship.

Those of us who had to do with his intellectual development, who were privileged to lead him along the paths trod and beaten by the footsteps of our boys, who watched the unfolding of the life that was within him, who, in companionship were glad to recognize comradeship, whose own strength was made more forceful by contact, whose ambition was stimulated by reason of his earnest intentions, are indeed made to mourn because our pupil has been taken from us, though called to a higher class under an infinitely better teacher. Ours is the loss, his the everlasting gain.

He was my pupil, but he was my teacher as well. The graces of a true gentleman were his constant companions and true politeness and gentlemanly deportment were his at all times. I do not recall, out of the thousands of boys with whom I have been privileged to companion since 1876, one more uniformly gentle, polite and courteous than Willie Dargie. As a pupil I knew him intimately and to know him was to love him.

His was a comprehensive mind. He grasped principles, hence the truths that he learned were more than those in the immediate lesson. He saw quickly and surely the likeness of related things and was able to formulate to a remarkable degree, the general law governing the class. Sometimes in recitation he was ahead of the subject, not inattentive, but considering other like conditions. His repeated question at the close of recitation was, "Isn't it so in this case?" He gave me great pleasure as he came to recitation for I knew that each would be mutually helpful.

He brought sunshine into the class. His face was full of good nature and his classmates were made better by its reflected light. His genial nature, his manly bearing, his natural gentleness, made him hosts of friends. Even in his sickness long and painful, this power to make friends never left him. Could he have been spared to reach manhood's prime, he would have developed a strong character, not only potentially, but in intelligent, decisive, resultful action. There is need of such as he was, such as he would have been.

The mystery of this event is none the less strange even when we bow beneath the stroke and kiss the hand that gives it. Faith receives the dispensation, but from out the tense drawn lids the tears of shattered hopes, of broken plans, of dead ambitions press and burn and fall.

I am glad that I knew Willie Dargie, glad that it was given me to help him as he developed by education, under instruction. I wish that I could have helped him more. Where there were once occasions and possibilities, there remain now, memories, sudden comings back of opportunities which perhaps, were not filled full of work, of duty. God forgive us!—forgive me for ever letting one of these spring times of life pass without planting the seed with the utmost skill, the fullest love and with all my might!

Out of all this sorrow there must come rejoicing. Perhaps it may incite us to be kinder to the boys that remain, to bear with them, to care for them, to love them, to trust them. If because of this friend I can pursuade the boys to follow his example in that which is true and pure and good, if his short life shall have made the longer lives of others more helpful, more fruitful, more faithful, more manly than we can go to his parents in their tears and darkness and say, "He that was dead is alive again," in the multiplied virtues of those who were influenced by the good which he did during his short journey on earth. We say "Good-bye" in tones of sorrow, we bring him back in memory only. The Power that gave him life is strength, is wisdom, is love. Here our faith holds fast and we rest.

Good-bye! Will, I miss the pressure of your hand; but it lies within the kindly palm of Our Father and there we know it is safe.

T. O. CRAWFORD.

County Superintendent of Schools and formerly principal of Lincoln School.

### WIRELESS MESSAGE.

NEW YORK, March 1.—The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse from Bremen for New York is reported as having been in communication by wireless telegraph with Nantucket lightship at 9:45 a. m. today.

Wire and Top Mattresses.

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## POLL TAX NOTICE

Oakland, March 2, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1904 is now due, and payable at my office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3639 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

**FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH AND THE FIRST MONDAY IN JULY**

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 420 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

**HENRY P. DALTON,**

Assessor of Alameda County,
Oakland, California.

OFFICE OF THE
Assessor of Alameda County

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Oakland, March 2, 1904.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations, are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before April 1st, 1904, a statement, under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridan on the

**FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH 1904**

in accordance with Sec. 3620, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3263, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name, or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before April 1st, 1904, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1904.

ASSESSMENT BLANKS may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

**HENRY P. DALTON**

Assessor of Alameda County,
Oakland, California.

# THE LATEST NEWS.

## COL. KAHLO TAKES HIS OWN LIFE.

### Rash Act of Leader Manufacturers' Club.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., March 1.—Col. Charles Kahlo of Indianapolis, representative of the National Association of Manufacturers, headed by D. M. Parry, killed himself at a local hotel today.

He was in the United States Consul services under President Harrison and had held positions of trust in Indiana. No reason is assigned.

## CATTLE TAKE TO THE HILLS.

THREATENED WITH DEATH BY RUSH OF RESISTLESS WATERS.

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## THE FLOOD RUINS STOCKTON GRAIN.

STOCKTON, March 1.—High water prevails on the lands to the east and northeast of Stockton and the Mokelumne is still out of its natural channel. The Brack tract and Staten Island are under water, nearly twenty thousand acres in all. From a grain standpoint the crop on these lands will be a total failure. The reclamation districts in the vicinity of Stockton to the west withstood the high water in good shape and it is felt now that the danger of a general inundation has passed. As far as Stockton is concerned there is no more concern as to a flood.

KNOX NOT SICK.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—A rumor was in circulation today to the effect that Attorney-General Knox was seriously ill with pneumonia. At the Department of Justice it was announced that Mr. Knox was never in better health and that he was attending a meeting of the Cabinet this morning received news of the breaking of the levee on Staten Island down the Sacramento River. The levee has broken on the islands in two or three places, from the force of back water from the Mokelumne. Fifteen thousand acres of land has been inundated. For the most part the land is under cultivation. It belongs to J. B. Haggin and Wealthu, San Francisco people. About 500 head of cattle have been driven to the high places and steamers have been sent for to take them off before they are drowned.

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## DINGWELL MUST BE PUT BACK.

### Illegally Expelled by the Railway Employes.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Judge Hebbard this morning rendered a decision granting the prayer of George Dingwell in his action asking for the issuance of a writ of mandate to compel the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes of America to reinstate him to membership.

He and others were some time ago expelled and fined for having violated obligations, held secret meetings and conspired against the International association's welfare.

The court, after listening to the evidence, found that Dingwell was fined and expelled upon a charge not provided for in the laws of the association, and under the law of this State he cannot so lose his standing. The writ petitioned for was therefore ordered issued.

## ESTATE BUSINESS.

An order was made this morning settling the final account of Margaret Ryan as executrix of the estate of the late Annie Donovan. With the exception of $50 left to Rev. M. Riordan of Berkeley and $50 left to Rev. John Cantwell of Berkeley to say masses for the repose of her soul, the remainder of the estate consisting of $175.45 is ordered given to Margaret Ryan.

Final distribution of the estate of Daniel Donovan, deceased, was made this morning, the property being ordered distributed to Cornelius and James Donovan, share and share alike. The property consists of ten acres, situated on the San Pablo road, one of which is sold to the Peralta school district.

An order was made this morning by Judge Green distributing the estate left by Kate Pegnim to her surviving husband, John Pegnim. The property consists of two lots of land in the Rowland tract.

## TRUCK-DRIVERS OUT IN KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 1.—Union truck drivers to the number of over 400 struck today. Union officials assert that before tomorrow the full strength of the union, 800, will be involved. The men ask an increase in wages, a day of ten and one-half hours, six days to constitute a week, and that only union men be employed. The transfer men, anticipating violence, have provided for police protection, and numerous permits for non-union men to carry revolvers have been granted.

## CAINE IS FINED TWENTY DOLLARS.

George Caine was fined $20 with the alternative of ten days in jail by Police Judge Samuels this morning for battery on M. Swaesey. The defendant said in his own behalf that his life had been threatened by Swaesey, who, it is alleged, took exception to Caine going with Mrs. Mellisa Dwyer, who is suing her husband, Jules Dwyer, for a divorce.

## YOUNG GIRL MAY BE BIGAMIST.

### Sad Plight of Paso Robles Female in Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Married in haste last night in the hope that she could avoid conviction in the Police Court this morning, a pretty girl from Paso Robles, who gives the name of Lulu Ada Simpson, found herself in a bad tangle today. There is a possibility, if her statements are true, that she is a bigamist and not yet 18 years old.

She is being held at the City Prison with Edna Dobbins of Watsonville until the police make an investigation. The man to whom she was married last night is also conducting an investigation on his own account, he having believed that the girl had a clear right to become his wife.

He is William F. Eichler, owner of a plumbing shop at 232 Sanchez street. The ceremony was performed last evening by the Rev. John Stephens, pastor of the Simpson Memorial M. E. Church, at his residence, 333 Haight street. When called before Police Judge Fritz this morning and informed that possibly his marriage was void, he exclaimed:

"That cannot be, because I paid for the license and the minister."

## TODAY'S RACES.

EMERYVILLE, March 1.—Today's results were as follows:

FIRST RACE (Five Furlongs.)

Alice Carey Travers), 14 to 5.....1
Fair Lady Anna (Roach), 4 to 5.....2
Benlash (Vanderbout), 25 to 1.....3
Time, 1:03.

Goddess of Night, Scaforth and Waterpower also ran.

Captivate and Rustic Girl were scratched.

SECOND RACE.

(Three and a Half Furlongs.)

Light of Day (J. Martin) 6 to 1.....1
Velna (Sec), 25 to 1.....2
Cardinal Sarto (J. Daly), 8 to 5.....3
Time, :43¾.

Inspector Halpin, Anaurus, Hooligan, Lady Minora also ran.

THIRD RACE (Futurity Course.)

Leader (J. Martin), 7 to 10.....1
Examiner (Bonner), 6 to 1.....2
Olympian (Reed), 5 to 2.....3
Time, 1:14½.

Vigoroso, Cherries, Impromptu and Jim Roberts also ran.

Molto, Titus and Blackthorn were scratched.

FOURTH RACE (One Mile.)

Prince Blazes (J. T. Sheehan), 29 to 1..1
Elmer L. (Travers), 4 to 1.....2
Carilee (Crossthwaite), 25 to 1.....3
Time, 1:21¾.

Lady Wadsworth, Isabellita and Chickadee also ran.

Anvil was scratched.

AT LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES, March 1.—Ascot results:

FIRST RACE (Five Furlongs.)

Barrington, 7 to 1.....1
Katherine Ennis, 8 to 5.....2
Gibralter, 12 to 1.....3
Time, 1:02½.

## ALLEGED VAGRANT IS WELL DRESSED.

Marion Causse is being tried in Judge Samuel's court on a charge of vagrancy. He had at least the distinction of being the best dressed man in court. The young man, who is of French extraction, has had an adventurous career. He has been charged with crimes running from vagrancy to grand larceny. He was sent to sea at one time, but it was alleged that he proved even too tough a proposition for the sea captain. He made his escape from the ship but when he was captured, the captain refused to permit him to come abroad.

As the young man had no apparent means of support and was seen loitering around disreputable places, the police recently arrested him.

## BREAK IN THE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, March 1.—A break of 4¾ cents in the price of wheat for May delivery occurred today, that option selling down to 96½ cents on general liquidation. Sharp losses in all foreign grain markets were the cause of the decline. Compared with last night's close the market today closed at a loss of 3¼ cents. Final quotations on July were down 2½ cents and 2⅝ at 91¾. Coarse grains and provisions felt the effect of the weakness, in which May corn closed 2 cents lower, May oats were down 2¾ to 2⅞ and May pork 87½.

## ELECTRIC COMBINE IN SAN JOSE.

SAN JOSE, March 1.—By purchase of the Standard Electric Company and the United Gas and Electric Company by the California Gas and Electric Corporation all the lighting and power plants in this city are now in one big combine. The former two companies have been operating in San Jose for some time as one, the local company having been absorbed by them.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 1.—A copy of the Daily Vistock, which has just arrived here, contains a significant argument in favor of Russia abandoning South Manchuria and retaining the northern portion of the province, which the paper contends naturally belongs to the Amur region.

## DICK TO FILL SEAT OF HANNA.

### Receives All Votes of Republican Members.

COLUMBUS, O., March 1.—Charles Dick of Akron was today elected to the United States Senate to succeed the late Marcus A. Hanna. He was given the solid Republican vote of the House and Senate which voted in separate session.

The Democrats voted for John H. Clarke of Cleveland.

Tomorrow the House and Senate meet in joint session to canvass the vote.

## TITLE TO CANAL DEMANDED.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Important matters relating to the Panama canal were under discussion by President Roosevelt and his Cabinet today. Officials of the Department of Justice have under consideration the title to the canal property, which is to be passed to this country by the Panama Company, but as yet they have not reached a conclusion.

It was said after a meeting that no money could be paid by this Government until a clear title to the property was obtained, but no information was given as to the length of time which may elapse before a decision is reached.

The entire question of a canal and its construction was discussed in its legal phases. The committees will get to work immediately. It is said that the Commission will go to the isthmus very soon to inspect thoroughly the conditions and to start the preliminary work of construction. In this connection it was decided as heretofore might be the case to countermand the orders issued to the Third United States Infantry to go to the isthmus to relieve the marines now on guard there. For some time the marine detachment will continue to guard the isthmus. This Government is given two jurisdictions on the isthmus, and as the naval vessels must remain there it was thought best to allow the marines to continue to do land duty.

It is the earnest wish of the President and members of the Cabinet that no unnecessary delay should occur in beginning work, and it will be pressed immediately.

## MAY CONTINUE SUIT FOR HEAVY DAMAGES

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals handed down a decision today reversing the decision of the Circuit Court and giving Mrs. Ella Weissharr the right to pursue her suit against the Kimball Steamship Company in the State court.

Mrs. Weissharr sued the company some time ago for $40,000 damages for the death of her husband, who was drowned in Alaska in 1900, while being transported in a ship's boat from the beach to the company's steamer.

The boat was overturned and capsized. The defendants set up a plea of contributory negligence on the part of Weissharr, that he knew the boat to be overcrowded and should have refused to enter it.

United States of America vs. Max Blendau, judgment reversed.

Isaac I. Lewis and Georgiana Lewis vs. M. Clark, judgment affirmed.

## EXPECTS TO BUILD AN ENTIRE STREET.

A building contract and a mortgage for the erection of ten houses on Apgar street were filed for record today by C. T. Johns who proposes to line both sides of this street with homes for the short distance it runs.

Apgar street lies east of Grove street near Thirty-seventh. It forms a cul-de-sac and Johns has set a contract for building five houses on each side of the street to C. M. MacGregor for the sum of $15,594. He also filed a mortgage for $15,000 on the same property.

## WANTS STOCKMEN TO BE HEARD.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Representative Cowherd of Missouri today introduced a resolution directing the House Committee in Interstate and Foreign Commerce to investigate the charges of shippers of live stock that they are not fairly treated by the railway companies of the West.

FAIR EMPLOYES STRIKE.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—One thousand men employed by the Louisiana Purchase Exposition as landscape layers at the World's Fair grounds struck today against a reduction in wages.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—Important business will, it is expected, be transacted at the meeting of the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Fair, which convened today. This is the first meeting since the election of Mrs. Daniel Manning as president, and also since the board secured the $500,000 appropriation from Congress.

ODESSA, Russia, March 1.—About 1000 dock laborers are out of employment here on account of the stoppage of sea business.

## REV. W. T. BEALE KILLED.

AGED MISSIONARY CRUSHED BY MOVING WAGON ON SAN PABLO AVENUE.

Rev. W. P. Beale, aged 75 years, an old retired Methodist clergyman, met a tragic death this afternoon at Twenty-first and San Pablo avenue.

He was run over by a wagon rapidly driven by a boy named Rawlin Blakeley for Hill Brothers in East Oakland.

The old gentleman was so severely injured that he died in the patrol wagon on his way to the Receiving Hospital.

The deceased made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stegman at 942 Myrtle street in this city.

Young Blakeley is now under arrest.

## REPORTS MONEY FOR NAVY.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—After only one session of the Committee on Naval Affairs, the naval appropriation bill was today reported to the Senate. Comparatively few changes were made in the bill as passed by the House, although the provision for a naval training station on the Great Lakes was again incorporated in the measure. The increase recommended by the Senate aggregates $372,000, making the total $97,001,738.

Provision also is made for a considerable increase in the teaching force at the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

An important amendment in regard to promotions in the navy provides that, subject to restrictions imposed by the existing law, boatswains, gunners and warrant machinists shall be eligible for appointment to the grade of ensign after two years' service as warrant officers, and boatswains, gunners, carpenters and sailmakers after six years shall be eligible to the position of chief of their class.

## CONFER REGARDING CONTRABAND GOODS

WASHINGTON, March 1.—There was a long conference at the State Department after the Cabinet meeting between Secretary Hay and Sir Mortimer Durand, the British Ambassador, on the Far East.

The Russians' declaration of contraband of war is naturally a question jointly interesting to the two English speaking peoples. In fact, this is only one of many questions which have a dual interest to the United States and Great Britain because of a similarity of their interests in the Far East and also because both countries are strongly under Russian suspicion. This last fact makes it necessary that there shall be a very thorough understanding between the London and Washington Governments.

## TRANSPORT SAILS FOR PHILIPPINES.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—The United States army transport Sherman sailed today for the Philippines. She carried the Twelfth Infantry, commanded by Col. J. W. Bubb, 400 infantry and 100 cavalry recruits, besides a large number of officers as passengers. In her hold were 1500 tons of army supplies. Before her departure the transport was inspected by Major-General MacArthur. Captain F. L. Winn of the Twelfth Infantry did not sail with the regiment, as he has been appointed aide to General MacArthur.

## MISS DONALDSON WITH THE KILTIES.

Miss Flora Donaldson, Scotland's prima donna, will appear on a special contract with the Kilties at the Macdonough Theater tomorrow night. This will be her last appearance before an American audience as she sails for the Orient in the near future.

Miss Donaldson sings Gaelic as well as English songs and has a soprano voice of remarkable depth and quality.

## DOMINICAN BLOCKADE.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—President Morales of the Dominician republic has been refused permission to blockade his own ports to be kept out of the revolutionists, as shown by the following report to the Navy Department by Captain Miller, commanding the cruiser Columbia:

"This morning (February 18th,) the American three-masted schooner W. R. Perkins came in from the Eastward and our boat went alongside. The captain informed me that he had been warned off Macoris, and not allowed to enter by the gun boat Presidente and was told that he must proceed to this port. Immediately upon receipt of this I communicated with the Minister, asking him to communicate with President Morales and inform him I would recognize his right to blockade Macoris and to refuse entrance to vessels flying the United States flag. The Minister informs me that the President demurred at first, but finally agreed to the fact."

NEW TURKISH CRUISER SAILS.

PHILADELPHIA, March 1.—The new Turkish cruiser Medjidia, built at Cramps Ship Yards, sailed today for Constantinople. On the way down the Delaware river she stopped at Fort Mifflin and took aboard 100 tons of ammunition. The cruiser then proceeded to Norfolk to be placed in commission, after which she will leave for her gun trials off the Delaware capes. On the completion of the trial the Medjidia will coal at Hampton Roads and sail for the Dardanells. The vessel is manned by an American crew, most of her officers being connected with Cramps Ship Building Company.

STOCKTON, March 1.—Owing to labor troubles at the Pacific Window Glass Factory here, the establishment has shut down and will remain closed until fall. One hundred skilled laborers quit work because some difference of opinion with the management of "stony" glass was not settled to their liking.


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## DO UP BRITT IN TEN ROUNDS.

"YOUNG CORBETT" CONFIDES HIS PLANS TO A TRIBUNE REPORTER.

EMERYVILLE, March 1.—Young Corbett was seen at the track by a TRIBUNE representative today. He said that in the second round of his fight with Dave Sullivan last night his strong right on the ear practically finished Sullivan.

Regarding his fight with Jimmie Britt, Corbett expresses the opinion that he will win in about half way of the twenty-round contest. Corbett thinks that Britt will play for his body and he will not knock out his line of defense until he finds out the way Britt is going to attack him.

Corbett shows no signs of having been in a battle and has not a mark upon him.

## PHEBE T. WATKINS' WILL FILED.

The will of the late Phebe T. Watkins was filed for probate this afternoon. She died on February 15 at 3601 Broadway in this city and leaves an estate valued at about $60,000 of which she divides between her three children and four grand children of a deceased son. Joseph M. Little, a grandson, and John O. Watkins, a son, are nominated as executors of her will.

To Sarah W. Little, her eldest daughter, she bequeathes $2,500 borrowed for W. H. Little and the mortgage on a cottage opposite the Watkins home on Broadway and one-fourth of her estate; to Helen W. Harr, she leaves the home at 3601 Broadway and one-fourth of the estate; to John O. Watkins she leaves a fourth of her estate and some minor bequests; and to the children of Mahlom P. Watkins, deceased, Joseph, Pitney, Henry C. and Phebe T. Watkins, she leaves what would have been their father's share.

Phebe T. Watkins, being her grandmother's namesake is also left in addition some stock bearing $426 a year.

The deceased's personal effects are divided among the various members of the family.

## KNELL OF DEATH FOR OTTO BENDIX.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Otto M. Bendix, a well known musician and the teacher in the California Conservatory of Music, died suddenly this morning from heart disease. He was 72 years old.

## RACE ENTRIES FOR TOMORROW

FIRST RACE.
Futurity course; three-year-olds and up; selling.

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| 6196 | Mendota | 92 |
| 5896 | Royal White | 106 |
| 6131 | Ripper | 111 |
| 4200 | Orpheus | 110 |
| .... | Harka | 97 |
| 6206 | Waterpower | 118 |
| 5896 | Sim W | 115 |
| 6151 | Ocyroho | 102 |
| 6158 | The Hawaiian | 99 |
| 6038 | Distributor | 99 |
| 6098 | Doris | 97 |
| 6441 | Geheimness | 104 |

SECOND RACE.
Five and a half furlongs; three-year-olds; selling.

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| 6146 | Cinnabar | 99 |
| 6196 | Hocco | 107 |
| 6196 | Box Elder | 99 |
| 6158 | Vaughan | 104 |
| 6138 | Hulford | 103 |
| 5850 | Mary Dunn | 97 |
| 6211 | St Yusef | 99 |
| 6196 | Targette | 97 |

THIRD RACE.
Half mile; two-year-olds; purse.

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| 6147 | Geo P McNear | 102 |
| .... | Amy J | 109 |
| 5691 | Salable | 109 |
| 6188 | My Order | 109 |
| 6188 | Bob Ragon | 112 |
| 6147 | Eduardo | 109 |

FOURTH RACE.
One mile one hundred yards; three-year-olds and up; handicap.

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| 6186 | Judge | 93 |
| 6198 | Celebrant | 93 |
| 6185 | Joe Lesser | 104 |
| 6140 | Modicum | 106 |
| 6077 | Proper | 123 |
| 6089 | Gorgalette | 100 |

FIFTH RACE.
Six furlongs; four-year-olds and up; selling.

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| 6161 | Mocorito | 106 |
| 6162 | St. Winifriede | 90 |
| 6182 | Elliott | 100 |
| 6171 | Watkins Overton | 100 |
| 6064 | Velma Clark | 106 |
| 6124 | El Piloto | 103 |
| 6115 | Mimo | 93 |

SIXTH RACE.
One mile seventy yards; four-year-olds and up; selling.

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| 5911 | Lacy Crawford | 102 |
| 6126 | Golden Light | 98 |
| 5887 | Ops Viva | 100 |
| 5484 | Eyes G | 97 |
| 5682 | Col. Anderson | 94 |
| 6126 | G. W. Trahern | 106 |
| 6163 | Axminster | 102 |
| 6126 | Rey Dare | 101 |

## WIRES SUNK BOATS AT PORT ARTHUR.

NAGASAKI, March 1.—Seven wounded engineers arrived at Sasebo yesterday from the stone-laden steamers sunk off Port Arthur. The sinking of these vessels was managed by wires connecting them with the Japanese torpedo boat destroyers.

GOULD COMES NORTH.

SAN DIEGO, March 1.—George Gould left this city for the north at 10:15 this morning in his special train of five cars. Mrs. Gould and the children remain at Coronado.

## DIED.

MORROW—In this city, February 29, 1904, George P., beloved husband of Nancy J. Morrow and father of George W. and Rachel Morrow, a native of San Francisco, aged 46 years, 1 month and 14 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Wednesday afternoon, March 2, 1904, at 2 o'clock, at the Alden Emanuel Presbyterian Church, on Forty-ninth street. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

LUTHER—In Stockton, February 29, 1904, Mrs. Agnes Luther, wife of the late Leonard Luther and mother of Alfred H. and Agnes J. Luther, a native of Scotland, aged 60 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter. Remains at the parlors of Beaudry & McAvoy, 873 Washington street, Oakland.


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Kitchen Bouquet—Tournade's.... .....25c
Fard Dates.....3 lbs. for 25c
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Tomato, Bouillon—Armour's.... .....1 jar 30c
Calif. Cream Cheese.....1 lb. 10c

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Bargain; 50 r.; transient; clears $200.
Sickness; 40 r.; rent $70; clears $175.
Office building; 36 r.; corner; swell.
Apartment; 28 r.; lease; price $1550.
One floor; 21 r.; rent $35; price $1100.
Snap; 19 r.; rent $35; price $850.
Home-like; 14 r.; price $600.
Best 15 r. transient house in Oakland; rent $26; just listed; price $950.

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WANTED—Young woman to wait on table and to assist in kitchen and pantry. Apply Woman's Exchange, 534 14th st. e

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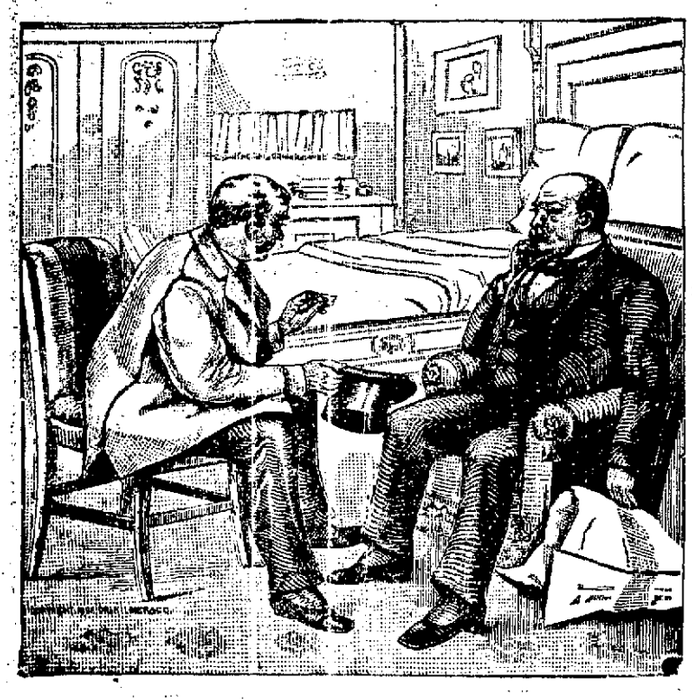

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# DEVIL'S AUCTION THIS EVENING.

### TRIO OF CHOICE PRODUCTIONS OUTLINED FOR THE MACDONOUGH.

**Among the very many clever things which have become part and parcel of the kaleidoscopic performance of Charles H. Yale's "Everlasting Devil's Auction" which plays a return engagement at the Macdonough Theater tonight is the number of exceedingly funny and trick scenes that each year are introduced in this popular show play. Manager Yale states that in the present twenty-second edition there will be no deviation from this rule, and that a new and very laughable trick scene entitled "The Chateau Morpheus" will be introduced in addition to specialties presented by the Five Family Ouri and the Four Solomonskys, two European importations.**

THE KILTIES.

Canada has long been known as a musical country. Music, both band and vocal, is one of the chief amusements of the people in that interesting northern land. Almost every village, town and city has its band or bands, and the municipality sets aside a large appropriation for public concerts. This stimulates the best musical inclinations. Every encouragement is given to the young musician to improve himself, and the excellence of many of the village bands shows the wisdom of such a system.

From the best of these musicians, "The Kilties," the Scottish-Canadian band, which will give a concert in this city at the Macdonough Theater tomorrow night, picks its members. To be allowed to join this famous organization is the ambition of every Canadian musician, and it would be difficult to gather together a better class of artists in any country in the world.

The band is under the leadership of William F. Robinson, a master musician, who needs no introduction to the people of the United States or Canada. He has perfect control of the band, and although his conducting is not showy, the perfection of the band speaks volumes in favor of his style.

THE OLD HOMESTEAD.

"As spry as a kitten at 69" is a line from "The Old Homestead," which Denman Thompson, as Joshua Whitcomb, has spoken hundreds of times, and the countless admirers of himself and his idyllic play who will doubtless warmly welcome him on the occasion of his coming engagement here, for four nights and a Wednesday matinee, beginning next Monday, will find exemplification of the truth of the life in Mr. Thompson himself.

Mr. Thompson promises for the coming engagement the same realistic scenic environment. The striking reproduction of Grace Church by moonlight is said to be the most elaborate and effective that Mr. Thompson has ever given us. The cast is a carefully selected one, and the famous double quartet will be heard in some new and pleasing numbers.

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# TWENTY-THIRD AV. BOOMING.

### EMPORIUM OF 'FRISCO WILL RENT NEW STORE NOW NEARING COMPLETION.

Twenty-third avenue and the surrounding district, with a population of over 15,000, is now in a very active condition.

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# STARS ON VAUDEVILLE STAGE.

THE THREE KUHNS, WHO ARE PERFORMING AT THE NOVELTY THEATER THIS WEEK.

The usual new-weekly change of bill at the Novelty was given last evening to crowded houses at both performances. The program in its entirety is an excellent one. The Three Kuhns made a decided hit as musicians and singers. Their equals have not been seen here for a long time, if ever, in the vaudeville sense of the word. They will prove a drawing card. Ed Poulter, who imitates the much talked of Happy Hooligan, took the part to perfection and created screams of laughter. The Chatham Sisters, who come direct from Keith's Circuit, are two soubrettes of high-class in their act and one that gives them ample opportunity to demonstrate their ability as clever artists. The new motion picture of the Japanese bombarding Port Arthur, is the first to be shown in America and should be seen, especially by the little ones. Walter Kerrick sings a new illustrated song and the balance of the bill is of high merit and deserves the big audiences that is seeing it. On next Monday the famous military quartet, who have made themselves noted throughout the country by their splendid singing, will make their initial appearance on the coast, having been secured by Manager Lubelski at a large expense. The admission is never higher than one dime and children are admitted at the matinee, which are daily, for five cents.

THE LYRIC.

The Lyric appears to be jumping into popularity with rapid strides. The spacious theater has been playing to large audiences at every performance, in fact, it has been hard to get a seat at the recent performances. This shows the high-grade vaudeville shows that are given. For this week the bill is entirely new. Last night was the first presentation of the following artists: Boyle and Lewisons the two country kids, made the hit of the show. The audience was kept in constant laughter while the team were on the stage. Chandon and Vaughn, two rather fine looking women, are seen in a sketch entitled "My Country Aunt on a Visit." It's something out of the ordinary for two exclusive parts in the feminine line, but they do what they have to do in a way that showed them to be quite clever as character sketch artists. Arthur Eddy as a Hebrew impersonator gives a new monologue with new parodies, and is about the best seen here for some time. Little Vera, the young miss with the contralto voice, sings and dances in a way that shows that she is possessed of natural stage ability. Baldwin sings a new illustrated song "When the Roses Bloom Again," and creates a favorable impression. This young man has a fine voice and is quite a favorite with the patrons of this house, who always give him a warm reception. The last on the bill, but not the least in merit, is Professor Jess Bailey, a very clever Dutchman, with two trained dogs, "Pat and "Mid." The two canines show wonderful intelligence. "Pat" does a buck dance and "Mid" does a trick that places him among the top-notch contortionists and acrobats. He stands upright on one paw on his master's head and then changes to the other foot, an act that few human acrobats can accomplish. Proprietor Kucks' has reason to feel elated at the fine bill he is giving his patrons this week.

THE BELL.

The change of program presented at the Bell last night was of such a high order that fully five hundred people were turned away, being unable to secure admission. In addition to the usual number of features, there were several extra numbers and the entertainment was perhaps the best ten cent vaudeville ever given on this coast.

Much admiration is shown nightly for the marvelous work of the bellamotoscope. The series of pictures which it presents are selected with excellent judgment. This week they are of an unusually high order and the intelligent manner in which the descriptive titles are thrown on the screen invests them with added interest.

The singing is of the highest concert order and the acrobatic features are truly wonderful.

The matinees at the Bell have especial interest for ladies and children and every afternoon a splendid program is presented, complete with all that can amuse and instruct. The attendance is so great that the management is considering the building of a large gallery, capable of seating four hundred people.

The admission is the same at all times, ten cents; no higher, and at the daily matinees children have to pay but a nickel.

THE DEWEY.

Rich in sentiment, rich in color in every detail and most artistically presented is "The Red Cross Nurse," which was given its initial performance at the Dewey Theater last night.

The play is not lacking in romance or sensation, nor is it overacted or overstaged. It is a military melodrama with a Red Cross nurse for a heroine and with the plot and action laid in Cuba. One of the prettiest and most effective scenes in that where an unscrupulous fellow suggests to the heroine that she ignore the sufferings of a wounded Spanish soldier. "Sir," she replies, "the Red Cross knows no flag, no country; it marches only under the banner of mercy." A feature of the play is the magnificence of the dresses worn by Miss Evelyn Woods, the leading lady. They are very costly and her charming presence displays them to the best advantage. The entire company is clever and the members work well together. It has at once established its claim to popularity and its clever work is nightly appreciated by large audiences.

"The Red Cross Nurse" will run all this week and will certainly do a good business on its merits.

PEX.

At both performances given last night at Pex's Theater every seat in the house was occupied. The bill was a good one throughout, every number on the program being of high order. The performers apparently have been selected with care and as the booking representatives of this popular house are instructed to get the best people available, and as a result, the vaudeville artists that appear at Pex are the finest in their respective lines in the country. The bill this week deserves big houses. There is a matinee every day, which is largely attended by ladies and children and the show at all times is a strictly moral one. Everyone appearing last night made their first appearance to an Oakland audience. Among them are Harry Richards, in a New York success entitled "Dear Old Girl;" Harry Primrose-Larner, premier musicalists; La Fleur, The Great; Henderson Sisters, the musical dual; Shields, the novelty of novelties; Miss Weller, bright pleasing soubrette; Dave Kelleys Bessie in "Love and Nerve."

NO SPLIT IN CABINET.

PARIS, March 1.—The Figaro this morning publishes an interview with M. Combes on the subject of the reports that the Cabinet is likely to fall soon. The Premier ridiculed the idea of any split in the present majority until the program of anti-Clerical legislation shall have been carried out thoroughly.

M. Combes refused to discuss the policy of France beyond saying there was perfect accord between himself and Foreign Minister Delcasse who reached no apt decision without consulting him.

The Czar is reported worried over the amount of sickness among the Russian troops at the front. In fact, he no doubt feels a little sick himself.—Sacramento Union.


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# TWO COMPANIES ABSORBED.

### CALIFORNIA GAS AND ELECTRIC CORPORATION BUYS BIG PLANTS.

One of the largest deals that has taken place in this vicinity for some time was consummated yesterday at a meeting of the board of directors of the California Gas and Electric Corporation, when the systems of the Standard Electric Company of California and the United Gas and Electric Company were purchased. The California Gas and Electric Corporation assumed control of its new holdings today.

The deal gives the California Gas and Electric Corporation control in supplying electric power in twenty of the principal counties in the State. The two companies absorbed yesterday are extensive concerns, each capitalized highly.

COMPANY'S STANDING.

The Standard Electric Company of California bore a capitalization of $5,000,000 authorized stock and $5,000,000 in bonds, all issued and outstanding. The United Gas and Electric Company was capitalized at $5,000,000 in authorized stock, of which $2,500,000 is outstanding, and $2,000,000 in authorized bonds, of which $1,100,000 is outstanding.

PURCHASE PRICE.

The purchase price paid for the two concerns is kept secret by the corporation, but it is known to be a high one. The Standard Electric Company has its main plant in Amador county and supplies the counties of Sacramento and San Joaquin, joining with the United Gas and Electric Company in supplying the counties around San Francisco bay, with lines running through San Jose up the west side of the bay into San Francisco.

The California Gas and Electric Corporation's holdings in the production and distribution of electricity and gas supply the northern and central western portions of the State. The lines of the corporation extend from Butte county on the north to Fresno county on the south and from Placer and Amador counties on the east to San Francisco and the other bay counties on the west. In brief, they supply all of the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys and the central counties of California.

CONCERNS OWNED.

The gas and electric concerns belonging to the above corporation, exclusive of the two purchased yesterday, are the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, Sacramento Electric, Gas and Railway Company, California Central Gas and Electric Company, Bay Counties Power Company, Fresno Gas and Electric Light Company, Valley Counties Power Company, Capitol Gas Company, Central Electric Railway Company, Butte County Electric Light and Power Company, Chico Gas and Electric Company, Colusa Gas and Electric Company, Marysville Gas and Electric Company, Napa Gas and Electric Company, Nevada County Gas and Electric Company, Petaluma Gas and Electric Company, San Rafael Gas and Electric Company, Santa Rosa Lighting Company and the Woodland Gas and Electric Company.

The board of directors of the corporation are: E. J. de Sabla Jr., president; John Martin, vice-president; John C. Coleman, second vice-president; R. M. Hotaling, treasurer; John A. Britton, general manager; C. W. Conlisk, secretary; F. W. Ziele, president of the Mercantile Trust Company; F. B. Anderson, vice-president of the Bank of California; N. D. Rideout, banker; J. Henry Meyer of the Antone Borel Banking Company, E. W. Hopkins and F. G. Drum.

The following is the monthly statement of earnings for January issued by the California Gas and Electric Corporation: Gross earnings, $276,513.05; expenses, $117,763.88; profits, $128,749.17; interest on underlying bonds, $35,765.74; interest on corporation bonds, $33,333.33; net surplus, $59,650.10.

# BRIGHT'S DISEASE AND DIABETES

San Francisco, Feb. 29, 1904.—We have dozens of late reports. We quote a few: Owens & Minor Drug Co., Richmond, Va., report that a Mr. T. T. Meany, U. S. Custom House officer there, has recovered "after physicians had told him there was no earthly hope for him."

Topeka Drug Co., Topeka, Kan.: "Write to Mr. Frank M. Bourne, this city. He was in a serious condition when he started on the Compound. He can give you a fine testimonial."

Writing for pamphlets, Mrs. F. Joffray of Ashland, Or., writes: "Your Compound has done so much for mamma we want to do all we can to help others who suffer as she did."

E. T. Snow, 1815 Columbia avenue, Philadelphia, writes: "The Compounds continue to do good work. Have several more physicians now prescribing them to their patients and believe the profession here will in time generally adopt them."

George B. Armstrong, editor "Piano Trade Journal," Chicago, writes: "I am on your Diabetic Compound and find it very beneficial—intend continuing to secure, is possible, a permanent cure."

J. S. Berthold of Berthold & Jennings, wholesale lumber mechants, St. Louis, writes: "I sent one of your pamphlets to an afflicted friend. He is now on the Compound for Bright's Disease—is getting such results that he would not be without it. Send me three more pamphlets, two for Bright's Disease patients and one for a Diabetic."

The Western Drug Co., 1016 Market street, this city, writes: "When asked for something good for Kidney trouble we ask 'How long have you had it? If only for a few weeks we have a number of things. But if for months nothing but Fulton's Compound for Bright's Disease will effect the cure."

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TO EQUIP OUR VESSELS.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Important to the efficiency of the American Navy was the action of Secretary Moody in signing the order for the equipping of eighteen battleships and armored cruisers now building, for submerged torpedo tubes. The Board of Construction recently decided to omit tubes from all battleships. There was such a protest, however, from many officers in the navy, that at the instance of the Secretary, the Board re-considered its decision.

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**$98,582.76** per day in Payments to Policy-holders and addition to Reserve.
**$53,841.18** per day in Increase of Assets.

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| Income in 1903 | **$49,887,804.11** |
| Gain over 1902 | **6,551,520.50** |
| Asset increase in 1903 | **16,475,402.61** |

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| Bonds and Mortgages | 31,814,193.06 |
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| Cash | 5,301,220.90 |
| Loans to Policyholders | 1,850,144.14 |
| Premiums, deferred, and in course of collection (Net) | 3,000,401.30 |
| Accrued Interest, Rents, etc | 679,298.32 |
| | $105,656,311.60 |

### LIABILITIES

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| Reinsurance Fund and Special Reserves | $94,008,251.00 |
| All other Liabilities | 956,188.04 |
| Capital and Surplus | 10,691,872.56 |
| | $105,656,311.60 |

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| INCOME | ASSETS | SURPLUS | POLICIES IN FORCE | OUTSTANDING INSURANCE |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1883—$2,082,619.05 | $2,186,622.24 | $627,363.24 | 531,048 | $63,425,107.00—1883 |
| 1893—15,216,236.65 | 19,343,705.06 | 4,109,689.92 | 2,940,226 | 353,177,217.00—1893 |
| 1903—49,887,804.11 | 105,656,311.60 | 10,691,872.56 | 7,523,915 | 1,342,381,457.00—1903 |

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# SEALED VALUATION, CONTRA COSTA WATER PLANT.

## Fitzgerald Would Have Such Report Made to Council By City Engineer Turner.

At the meeting of the City Council in Committee of the Whole last night, Councilman Fitzgerald proposed the making by the City Engineer of an estimate of the value of the Contra Costa Water Company's plant to be used by the Council in establishing water rates, in the event that the arbitration board shall not file its appraisement prior to the third Monday in May. The resolution was referred to the Council. The subject was introduced in the following resolution:

SEALED APPRAISEMENT.

"Whereas, an act of the Legislature, approved March 7, 1881, authorizes the City Council to annually fix water rates that shall be collected by any person, company or corporation for water furnished to any city or the inhabitants thereof. Such rates to be fixed at a regular or special session of such board, held during the month of February of each year and shall take effect on the first day of July thereafter; and

"Whereas, the Supreme Court has decided that where the City Council has commenced the fixing of rates in the month of February and completed the same prior to July thereafter, the said rates were legal; and

"Whereas, the City Attorney in his report of this date states that the Council has legally commenced proceedings for establishing water rates for the year commencing July 1, 1904; and

"Whereas, it is doubtful if the arbitration board, appointed by resolution No. 28,735, will be ready to submit their findings as to the value of that portion of the Contra Costa Water Company's system necessary to supply this city and its inhabitants with water, within a time whereby this Council can arrive at its conclusions for the purpose of fixing fair and honest water rates for the fiscal year 1904-05; therefore, be it

ENGINEER TO ESTIMATE.

"Resolved, That the City Engineer, in whose ability and integrity the people and this Council have the utmost confidence, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make such investigations as may be necessary to enable him to make a detailed statement of the value of that portion of the Contra Costa Water Company's system now necessary to supply this city and its inhabitants with water, giving in said statement the value of the various parts of said portion, and the said City Engineer is hereby empowered to employ help, if necessary, and upon the completion of his work he is hereby instructed to deliver the statement sealed to the City Clerk, and said statement to remain sealed, provided, that, if for any reason the arbitration board, authorized by resolution No. 28,735, fails to submit its findings to this Council on or before the third Monday in May, 1904, then the said statement shall be unsealed, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole to further consider the matter of fixing water rates for the year beginning July 1, 1904

RATES BY ORDINANCE.

"Resolved, That it is the intention of this Council to fix said water rates by ordinance and not by resolution, on account of the general dissatisfaction of the people in the past, thereby rates were fixed hurriedly by the mere adoption of a resolution, also for the purpose of presenting the ordinance to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval of the rates established by the Council."

In support of the idea Mr. Fitzgerald said:

"I make the suggestion that the City Engineer report on the water company's plant to provide against contingencies. If the Board of Arbitration should fail to agree then we would have something definite in the way of the City Engineer's report to work on."

Cuvellier—I do not see anything wrong with the resolution. I would be in favor of passing such a measure.

NO SEALED REPORT.

Elliot—There may be some misunderstanding relative to the sealed report. I would urge that this phase of the subject be changed. I do not see that we should act too hastily on the matter.

Fitzgerald—The only reason I would suggest that action be taken at an early date is to give the City Engineer time to make his report.

Elliot—I agree with the spirit of the resolution perfectly.

NO OUTSIDE ENGINEERS.

Aitken—I think that the City Engineer is thoroughly capable of doing the work. In fact, I do not see why we should pay outside engineers to do the work which can be done by the engineer who is already paid by the city.

Cuvellier—I think Mr. Aitken is out of order.

Chairman Pendleton—I believe he is talking to the point.

Elliott—I think he has a right to proceed.

CAMPAIGN SPEECH.

Aitken—I never get on my feet but what Mr. Cuvellier bobs up like a jumping jack. He has stated in the Council that he never said he would not have anything to do with the buying of the Contra Costa Water Company's plant. I have a clipping here in which he characterized the water company's plant as old junk in a campaign speech.

Dornin—Don't you think, Mr. Fitzgerald, that we might inform the City Engineer that he might be called on to report on the Contra Costa Water Company's works?

Fitzgerald—That would not give him time to prepare it. He should get to work right away.

MUCH EXPENSE.

Wallace—By asking Mr. Turner to do this work it will mean much expense to the city. In the trial of the water rate case their were eight engineers who testified. If the worst comes to the worst, we can take up these reports and fix the water rates from them.

Fitzgerald—Did not the water rate case find that the Contra Costa Water Company's plant was worth $7,000,000 on the testimony of those engineers?

Meese—I am in favor of Fitzgerald's plan, only I do not like the idea of the report of the City Engineer being made sealed.

Chairman Pendleton—I think we should consider the matter before we act on it. It is contrary to our present plan. I believe the resolution should be referred to the Council without recommendation.

The committee acted on this suggestion and the entire resolution was referred to the Council.

# RELATIONS ARE SOMEWHAT TANGLED.

CHICAGO, March 1.—Becoming the sister of her own children is the situation of Mrs. Minnie Krueger, who, with her four sons, has been legally adopted by William R. A. Wodrich and his wife.

This unique arrangement resulted through the desire of Mr. and Mrs. Wodrich to make Mrs. Krueger, who had lived with them since she was seven years old, their legal daugater.

Mrs. Krueger, who is a widow, is 25 years of age and her four children, William, Paul, Arthur and John, who now become her legal brothers, are 9, 6, 4 and 1 years old, respectively. Not only do the children become brothers of their mother, but should she remarry they would be brothers-in-law to their stepfather.

TRIAL GOES OVER.

The trial of the charge of mayhem against C. C. Hackett of Alameda, which was to have come to trial before Judge Hall yesterday was put over for two weeks.

The complaining witness is fifteen-year-old Luvania Russell, who alleges that her guardian beat her with a heavy stick and broke two fingers because she did not get out of bed quick enough to suit him.

# LAWN WATER RATE ASSAILED.

## ALLEGED OVERCHARGING LAID BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL.

The following communications relative to alleged over-charges for water for lawns was read at the Council last night and referred to the Contra Costa Water Company for an answer. After Councilman Wallace expressed his opinion that the letter contained intimations which under the circumstances were impossible.

"Oakland, Cal., February 29, 1904.—The City Council of the City of Oakland.Gentlemen:—While you are considering the preparation of a water rate ordinance for the coming year, I would call your attention to certain provisions in the present ordinance and certain peculiar constructions placed thereon by the Contra Costa Water Company. The provisions are the following:

"'Irrigation of lawns, six mills to square yard.'

"'There shall be no charge for spring or irrigation of lawns or flowers less than $3 per year and the rates before specified shall be applicable throughout the year.'

"The lawn rates at my residence is over $3 per year, in the neighborhood of $5.00. Upon my protesting a bill presented by the company, their adjuster, Mr. Hansen informed me that, under the above provision of the ordinance, the company habitually charges the computed irrigation rate plus $3 a year and insisted that I should pay in the neighborhood of $8 a year for the irrigation of my lawn, although the computed rate, as I have heretofore mentioned, was about $5 and not $3. While I have not acceded to their demands, the company has not yet admitted any other constructions to the ordinance than above stated.

"I respectfully suggest that the provisions of the new ordinance as to irrigating be so drawn as to prevent the Water Company from tacking on an additional $3 a year to all charges for irrigation.

"It may not be out of place to call your attention to the fact that by collecting the additional $3 for irrigation in all cases, under the present ordinance, the water company has been over-charging its patrons and has rendered its property liable to confiscation under the constitution of this State. Yours respectfully,

"HARRISON S. ROBINSON."

After the foregoing was read Councilman Wallace arose and stated that the accusations were apparently without any basis on which to rest. As it would be unlikely that the water company would charge $3 extra without it being included in the ordinance.


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MRS. WILHELMINA SNOW,
Treas. Economic League, Portland, Me.

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MRS. L. A. AUSTIN,
606 N. 6th St., Kansas City, Mo.

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## The Hon. Victor H. Metcalf

Hon. Victor H. Metcalf will undoubtedly be renominated by acclamation and re-elected by an immense majority. The Third District could do no less for a man who has represented it for three terms so ably and successfully, and who has given California an importance in the House it has not hitherto attained.

No one has appeared to contest the nomination with Mr. Metcalf. None is likely to. The election will be a matter of form, his majority a question of how many thousands. In addition to his wide personal popularity Mr. Metcalf possesses the unqualified respect and confidence of all classes. In serving his constituents he has not inquired into their politics; in advancing the interests of his district he has not favored one locality at the expense of any other. Oakland harbor, the Mare Island Navy yard and the Sacramento river have all found in him a warm and capable friend. He has served them all with ability and discretion.

But Mr. Metcalf is more than a district statesman, a larger figure in Congress than a mere representative from California. His personality has become national. He is one of the small group in the House that controls all fiscal legislation for the country. He is high in the councils of his party and among the legislative leaders in Congress. He is on terms of confidential intimacy with the President. His talents and position on the Ways and Means Committee make him the unquestioned leader of the California delegation in the popular branch of the national legislature. His ability to serve his State and his immediate constituents of the Third District grows day by day. Each successive term finds him more strongly placed in Congress and in a more commanding position to influence both legislative and executive action in our behalf.

These are some of the reasons why Mr. Metcalf's renomination and reelection are a foregone conclusion, but not all. They are reasons creditable alike to the understanding of the electors of the Third District and the zeal and ability of their representative. Aside from this, however, Mr. Metcalf has exerted himself to still party faction and to relieve political differences of the rancor and acrimony that formerly characterized them. He has brought about more cordial relations between members of the opposing parties. His fairness, good temper and genial manners have operated to the general advantage of the community. This fact, so generally recognized, contributes to his popularity and usefulness. It is therefore a matter for public congratulation that Mr. Metcalf is to be returned again to Congress without serious opposition.

## Judge Hall and His Critics

The sentence imposed on W. A. McKowen, the defaulting secretary of the Board of Regents of the State University, continues to provoke adverse criticism. Some of these criticisms are violent and inflammatory, and some are perversive of the facts. In general, they disclose a lamentable misconception of the theory of the law in dealing with crime and criminals. In isolated instances they are tinctured with base insinuation wholly without warrant or justification.

The burden of these criticisms is to the effect that McKowen should have been given a sentence in proportion to the amount he stole. The law punishes theft, and dishonesty is not measured by the amount stolen. A man may steal a dollar under circumstances indicating a greater degree of turpitude than would be exhibited in another man who stole a million. Let us suppose a man be sentenced one year for stealing fifty dollars. Should another man who stole fifty thousand be sentenced to a thousand years' imprisonment? The thing is impossible, even if the degree of crime can be measured by the returns it yields to its perpetrator. Many years ago three men in Georgia murdered a man on the highway and only got fifteen cents as the result of their crime. Should they have been given fifteen days apiece in jail instead of being hanged? Would the crime have been any more atrocious if the pockets of the murdered man had contained fifteen thousand dollars?

It is gravely stated McKowen's offense is more than ordinarily heinous because he stole the trust funds of the University. The character of the money stolen does not give complexion to the crime. A thief steals that which is within his reach and easiest to steal. The money of a widow or orphan or confiding individual is as sacred as anybody's money.

It is assumed that McKowen is doubly guilty because he bet the stolen money on the race track. Would it have been any different if he had lost it in the stock market? Gambling is a demoralizing vice, and it was this fatal passion that led McKowen, a man naturally honest, to steal to gratify its craving. The statement that McKowen's sentence is tantamount to encouraging gambling is absurd. McKowen's case from beginning to end is a terrible warning against the vice of gambling. The University has lost its money, but McKowen has lost something infinitely dearer than that—his good name, his position in society and his liberty. Because gambling is a hateful, vicious habit, shall its victim be doubly punished?

Citing the case of Whitaker Wright as a proof that McKowen was too leniently dealt with defeats its own object. Wright fraudulently made away with many times the amount McKowen stole. He was given a six-year sentence by English justice, reputed to be the sternest and most inflexible among civilized nations. This was deemed so insupportable by Wright that he committed suicide.

It is stated that "McKowen's offense was condoned because he was cultured and refined"—a gross perversion of fact. It was pointed out that McKowen's culture and refinement made his punishment and disgrace all the keener—the higher his position the greater his fall, and the more excruciating the mental anguish it causes. This is not an excuse but a fact.

Lastly, Judge Hall's motives and character need no vindication in this community. If he erred at all, he erred on the side of mercy, and from motives akin to that Divine Spirit which said to the Magdalen, "Go and sin no more." If he made a mistake, it was a mistake dictated by the most elevated sense of duty and responsibility. In a sense he is responsible to society for the future of McKowen, and no one who has attentively watched his course on the bench but believes that he pronounced sentence in accordance with the mandate of an enlightened if too tender conscience.

Some of his critics might well give closer heed to the Commandments of God. One says, "Thou shalt not steal," but another says, "Thou shalt not bear false witness." Surely this command is as binding on the pulpit as on the laity. Again, the Bible says, "Judge not lest ye be judged." But if any self-appointed Daniel, lay or clerical, come to judgment, let him first acquaint himself with all the facts, and then speak the words of wisdom, truth and moderation, tempered by the charity that the Christian faith enjoins on all its professors, especially on its teachers.

When Christ came upon this earth to teach men the blessings of brotherly love, of charity, of repentance, and of forgiveness, He found the hardest of hearts in the breast of the Pharisee. It has not softened in nineteen hundred years.

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Irrigation promises some relief from such disastrous floods as are now desolating the lowlands along the Sacramento river. If the flood waters of the rainy season can be impounded for the uses of irrigation during the dry season much of the pressure on the levees will be obviated, and what is now regarded as a calamity turned into a blessing. Of course this development is not to be speedily looked for, but it will come in time. It will require the expenditure of vast sums and the employment of the highest engineering skill, but neither in cost nor skill is the task to be measured with the mighty undertakings by which a large portion of Holland has been reclaimed from the sea. When the flood waters are controlled, conserved and utilized for irrigation, the Sacramento valley will become one of the fairest and most fruitful districts of the earth.

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Governor Vardaman of Mississippi does not want the negroes educated; neither does he want them burned at the stake, and takes vigorous measures to prevent impromptu auto de fa. If he will stop negro burning in Mississippi, the cause of negro education will be provided for somehow. Governor Vardaman has given the country a shock of pleased surprise.

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Perry Heath says he resigned the secretaryship of the National Committee because Senator Hanna died. Perry probably thought the tail ought to go with the hide. But it was rather indecent to get off on Senator Hanna's grave when he was booked for dumping a little further along.

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The Senate of Mississippi, solidly Democratic, unanimously adopted resolutions eulogizing Senator Hanna, yet some people think sectional feeling is not disappearing.

## Hints for the Ladies.

The new voiles are plaided in a lace design that is very odd.

Double towel bars of nickel are very useful and can be purchased for 50 cents.

Furs are getting cheaper every day and now is the time the wise woman will buy.

Tiny pansy pins of blue enamel, set with rhinestone in the center, sell for 50 cents each.

Excellent values in armure silks are to be purchased in one of the shops for only 35 cents a yard.

Handsome designs in Dutch silver shirt waist sets and belt buckles are to be found in the shops.

Fancy lace-edged paper doilies pretty for many purposes besides table usage are sold for 5 cents a dozen.

A small elephant of gray metal that is very attractive is a paper weight and can be had for 10 cents.

Women's summer undervests in silk with fancy openwork fronts are on sale for 50 cents each. They come in white, pink and blue.

Printed voiles are made in exact imitation of the fine imported stuff, and are to be had for 16 and 18 cents a yard. Cotton voiles also come in plain colors.

Rubbers with heels are among the shoe showings and are said to be liked by women who affect French footwear, the effect being somewhat neater than the flat-soled rubbers.

That with skirts growing fuller and more trimmed one will have to buy more goods is evident. One of the new skirts is shown made very full and ruffled in small, full ruffles almost up to the waistband.

Buster Brown has a sign up in one of the shops resolving "that Buster Brown belts are the proper thing for small boys" and "Tige" agrees. These belts are in black patent leather and are put up in small boxes.

A charming little dressing gown for the 3-year-old, for even babies nowadays, have such things, is made of fine French flannel, in a dainty light pink, in kimono fashion, and is trimmed with a narrow band of Persian embroidery.

Rubber gloves are among the useful articles shown for the housewives' use, for they protect the hands when doing housework. The shops are showing them in white, black and red rubber, and they can be purchased for $1 a pair.

The differences between Russia and Japan have stimulated interest in these countries, and the shops are having special exhibits of goods peculiar to these places. One shop is showing a splendid line of Japanese art goods of all descriptions. They include not only beautiful embroidered goods, potteries and chinas, but also materials both silk and cotton that are made in that country.

## FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miss Mary Belle Flemington, who was selected by James J. Hill to christen the great steamer Dakota at Groton, Conn., is barely 17 years of age, weighs 165 pounds and is 6 feet 2 inches tall.

Wages in Russian factories are 2 cents an hour and upward. There are thousands who work for a cent an hour, and tens of thousands who do not receive 30 cents a day for ten, eleven and more hours' work.

Alderman Bromberg of Boston, the only Republican member of the City Council, has been placed on thirty-three committees. The precedent of giving minority representation on most committees of the Council has been followed. Mr. Bromberg has been further honored by being given the chairmanship of the auditing committee.

At the annual convention of Connecticut fruit growers at Hartford last week Mr. Hale of Glastonbury said that, in his opinion, half the trees in the State would never bear again because of the ravages of the San Jose scale.

The grave of the German poet Heine, in the Montmartre cemetery, Paris, is said to be visited by more persons than Zola's, which is quite near it. It is customary for visitors to leave their cards. Of 295 cards found on Heine's grave, 30 were left by English and American visitors, and over 250 by Germans and Austrians.

Joan of Arc was urged to wear women's garb. "Very well," she replied, "bring me a beige voile with emplecement and ceinture of elan velvet and jabots of mousseline—" But with a baffled cry the English abandoned the attempt.—New York Sun.

Miss Laura Talbott Galt of Louisville has been proposed as a candidate for the "Daughter of the Confederacy," an office that is filled at the annual meeting of the veterans. She is the girl who refused to join with her school companions in singing "Marching Through Georgia."

"I am not a Christian scientist," writes a man to this office, "but I wish to say this much about them: When a member of that church is in trouble, the others rally in a commendable manner. Recently, my wife contracted pneumonia through soliciting for an oyster supper for the church, and when she was sick not a member of the church came to see her. No oyster suppers in the Christian Science Church."—Atchison Globe.

William Waldorf Astor has presented to the National Rifle Association $50,000, the money to be expended on the development for marksmanship among the members of the organization. The visit of the American team to Bisley last year, when the Americans won the Palma trophy, woke up the Englishmen to a great extent. The next contest for the Palma trophy will take place at Sea Girt on September 3d, when an English team will try for it.

## Chips From Other Blocks

Now it is said that the Dreyfus case is to be tried in the Court of Cassation on February 25. Better postpone it until February 30 and make it the court of cessation.—Troy Times.

Senator Burton appears to be putting up the old plea that he was retained instead of bribed. It frequently happens among lawmakers that the lawyer members are more fortunate than their lay brothers in being able to call a bribe a retainer, the latter word sounds much better.—Helena (Mont.) Independent.

The reason Secretary Wilson is slow about getting a system for destroying the boll weevil is that he wants to devise some plan which does not first involve catching the weevil.—Sioux City Journal.

An unconfirmed but inherent probable rumor comes from St. Louis to the effect that the plumbers and coal dealers of the country have already engaged the most desirable suites of rooms at the hotels for their use next summer.—Chicago Tribune.

Spring is coming and so, according to the vigilant London prophet is the customary shadow of "trouble in the Balkans."—New York Tribune.

Mr. Schwab has been troubled with nervous prostration and some of the people who have been concerned in a smaller way with some of his financial interests are convinced that it is contagious.—Washington Star.

Some one should take Mr. Mudd of Maryland aside and inform him that the right to boss elevator conductors is purely a senatorial prerogative.—Washington Post.

The Hon. Joe Bailey will not vote for the Panama treaty. He will resign first. Well, Texas is a large State and is not yet reduced to a groundhog diet.—Chicago Tribune.

If it is really true that the Colombian "army" has begun the invasion of Panama, Uncle Sam will have to put another policeman on that beat.—Detroit Journal.

Before concluding that one has brain fag, one should always try and find out whether the trouble is not plain, old-fashioned laziness.—Orange (Va.) Observer.

Unofficial advices indicate that Russia is ready to concede everything Japan wants except what she wants herself.—Washington Post.

The tariff and imperialism may be well enough as issues, but as for Mr. Bryan, give him the good old slimy octopus.—Kansas City Journal.

The secretary of the National Democratic committee does not have to plead the statute of limitations.—Birmingham News.

If any other State seceded from Colombia it will be recognized in about 1000 years.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

### AS TO RAMEKINS.

In fireproof china and earthen baking dishes, especially in those designed for individual portions, there is a host of fascinating shapes and styles; yet more than one bride has been puzzled to know just how best to employ her set of exquisitely decorated ramekins, says the Philadelphia Telegraph.

These little receptacles not only repeat the styles of the large covered and open baking dishes, but have a wide variety of designs all their own. The highly glazed brown German ware, with its dainty white lining is in high favor just now, and may be had in a large number of shapes. In it there are low, round covered dishes, some with the straight, stumpy handle of the casserole and some without handles. They are just the thing for fricassees, ragouts, savory stews, creamed dishes and the like.

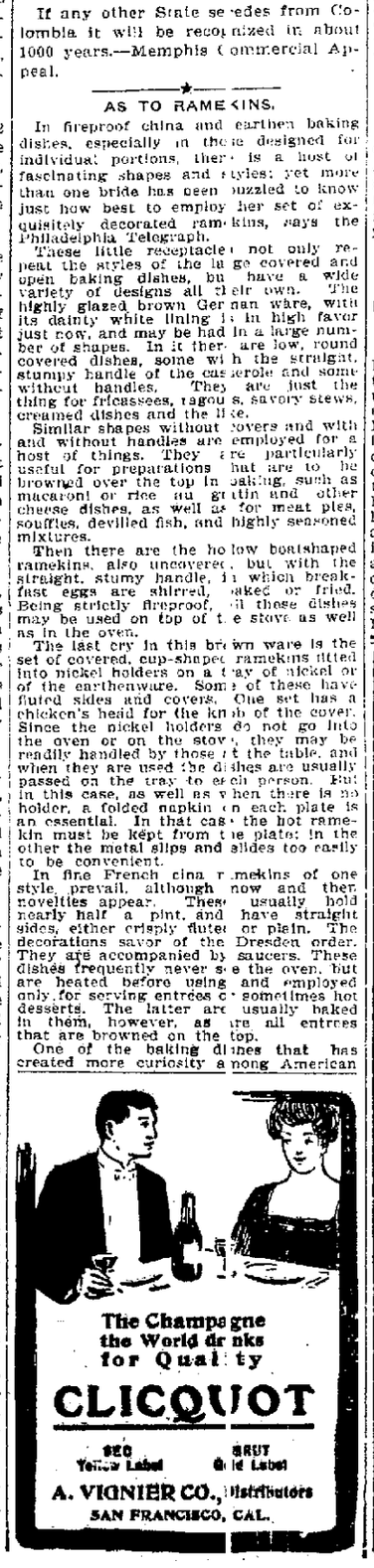
Similar shapes without covers and with and without handles are employed for a host of things. They are particularly useful for preparations that are to be browned over the top in baking, such as macaroni or rice au gratin and other cheese dishes, as well as for meat pies, souffles, devilled fish, and highly seasoned mixtures.

Then there are the hollow boatshaped ramekins, also uncovered, but with the straight, stumy handle, in which breakfast eggs are shirred, baked or fried. Being strictly fireproof, all these dishes may be used on top of the stove as well as in the oven.

The last cry in this brown ware is the set of covered, cup-shaped ramekins fitted into nickel holders on a tray of nickel or of the earthenware. Some of these have fluted sides and covers. One set has a chicken's head for the knob of the cover. Since the nickel holders do not go into the oven or on the stove, they may be readily handled by those at the table, and when they are used the dishes are usually passed on the tray to each person. But in this case, as well as when there is no holder, a folded napkin on each plate is an essential. In that case the hot ramekin must be kept from the plate; in the other the metal slips and slides too easily to be convenient.

In fine French china ramekins of one style prevail, although now and then novelties appear. These usually hold nearly half a pint, and have straight sides, either crisply fluted or plain. The decorations savor of the Dresden order. They are accompanied by saucers. These dishes frequently never see the oven, but are heated before using and employed only for serving entrees or sometimes hot desserts. The latter are usually baked in them, however, as are all entrees that are browned on the top.

One of the baking dishes that has created more curiosity among American women than any other is the round, shallow plate with straight fluted sides. It is to be had in the white lined brown German ware and in white. It is made in a variety of sizes, from those large enough for a family to a size suitable to the individual portion. It is for cheese cake, Dutch apple cake, and is sometimes used for pies. The "pasties" and tarts dear to the German and French are also baked in it.




## SCHUMACHER'S ESTATE NETS $166,898.40.

According to an annual account filed today by the executors of the estate of the late John Schumacher the expenses of the administration thus far have been $85,696.00. About $25,000 of this sum, however, was expended in the payment of specific legacies. The estate is valued at $166,898.40. Nearly all the property has been converted into cash by the executors. The estate included about $25,000 in bank, stock of the Union and the Alameda sugar companies, bonds, mortgages and real property.

The deceased was a pioneer hotelkeeper in San Francisco. He retired from business several years ago and since then resided at 1117 Myrtle street, in this city. One piece of real property on Turk street, San Francisco, was sold by the executors to A. Rosenshine for $87,750. Five shares of stock of the German Savings and Loan Society were sold for $11,000. About $25,000 was realized from the sale of sugar stock and bonds. The family residence on Myrtle street was sold to Sol Kahn for $8000.

### KING REFUSES TO PAY.

BRUSSELS, March 1.—The Probate Court has begun the hearing of the case which arises from the will of the late Queen Marie Henriette, in which King Leopold resists claims brought forward by creditors of his daughter.

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Best Vaudeville talent in America.
Continuous Vaudeville and Moving Pictures, extra attractions this week.
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1.—Overture by Peck's Orchestra.
2.—Animated Pictures.
3.—Harry Richards in one of the latest New York successes "Dear Old Girl."
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'Tis a specially desirable suit for street wear; made of all wool Scotch mixture; cut in the new, short, tight-fitting shape, silk lined; with loose cuff and standing collar; trimming of cloth braid.

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### First of the Spring Waists

If you would see style, daintiness and quality of a higher order than you ever saw before, but at no higher price, spend a few minutes looking over our new white and colored Spring and early Summer waists.

As this is being written, the waist department is busy marking and putting in stock—too busy to unload details on the ad-man.

A white alpaca waist at $2.50 is a particularly stylish garment. It is made of an excellent quality of creamy white alpaca, has yoke front finished with nine wide plaits; collar with single stole; four plaits on back. . . . . $2.50

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New walking skirts in plain and fancy suitings. . . . . $5.00 to $12.50

A very durable lot of walking skirts, meltons and mixtures . . . . . $1.50 $5.00

Walking skirts made of all wool materials in gray, tan and sage colors; cut seven gores with rows of stitching around hem; flounce is cloth strapped in neat designs. Price . . . . . $6.45

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### New Spring Coats

Strictly man-tailored coats of all wool covert, lined throughout with guaranteed satin. These coats are worth $13.50. Price . . . . . $10.95

### New Dress Skirts

Spring models, containing something of all the new styles in voile and etamine dress skirts. Possible here to find almost any correct idea mentioned by Fashion or Spring wearing. Price . . . . . $6.25 to $37.50

### New Silk Belts

New Spring belts have come—the first of them, and they're worth more than a passing glance.

Made of all silk peau de soie in a score of new ideas, and with newly designed, novelty postillion back effect . . . . . 50c, 65c, 75c to $1.25


# FOUR MORE YEARS AS MAJOR.

MAJOR C. T. POULTER, WHO HAS BEEN RE-ELECTED MAJOR FIRST BATTALION, FIFTH INFANTRY, N. G. C.

Major C. T. Poulter of this city has been re-elected Major of the First Battalion, Fifth Infantry, N. G. C. The election was without a dissenting vote of the field and staff officers of that command. It took place at the meeting held in the California Hotel, San Francisco. All of the officers and nearly all the members of the staff were present. The opposing candidate was Captain M. W. Simpson. Voting was done by ballot.

Inspection and muster of the field and staff of the Second Brigade followed, after which Colonel J. J. Hayes delivered an interesting address.

The re-election of Major Poulter gives general satisfaction.

# SLAYS HIMSELF IN HIS WIFE'S PRESENCE

(Continued From Page 1.)

the bed. Reaching down he had drawn the pistol from its holster and then committed the rash act.

DEATH INSTANTANEOUS.

Dr. Whitworth and Dr. Stratton, the latter of whom was summoned from Oakland, found that the bullet had entered the neck just below the right ear, passing between the jugular vein and the artery but missing them. The missile then took an upward course and all but penetrated the skull at the top of the head.

TOOK VACATIONS.

For the past four or five years it had been the custom of Mallory to spend as much of his time as possible at his country residence near Tomales Bay. Mrs. Mallory had taken care of the business, consulting her husband only on matters that were of great importance.

The body was not removed to the Morgue, being left at the residence upon the request of Mrs. Mallory.

The deceased was 60 years of age and a native of Connecticut. Besides a wife he leaves a son, by a former marriage, living in Pennsylvania.

An attempt has been made to show that Mallory was murdered but the people who were early on the scene, say there is no ground for the charge.

# SMOOT CASE GOES OVER FOR ONE DAY.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—The inquiry into the protest against Senator Reed Smoot will not begin until 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. When Chairman Burrows called the committee to order today Waldemar Van Cott of Salt Lake, one of the counsel for the protestants asked for a postponement until tomorrow on account of the unavoidable absence of A. S. Worthington of Washington, D. C., who has charge of the case for Senator Smoot.

The attorney for the protestants made no objection to the continuance for the reason that the witnesses desired to be put on the stand had not yet arrived from Utah. The one witness present was E. B. Critchlow, former United States District Attorney in Utah who has prosecuted a number of cases against Mormons.

Former Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle and Former Representative Robert E. Taylor, attorneys for the prosecution, were present.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today:

Fred H. Mook, San Francisco . . . . . 28
Sadie M. Day, San Francisco . . . . . 25
William S. Guest, Oakland . . . . . 31
Lena F. Bookhout, Oakland . . . . . 25


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There's a reason.


# PRAYS FOR REIGN OF PEACE.

KING EDWARD'S PLEA WHILE ON ROUND OF GREAT ENJOYMENT.

LONDON, March 1.—The King and Queen filled a round of engagements at Cambridge, today, the principal function being the opening of several new buildings connected with the university, where the King at one time was a student. He was presented with an address of welcome from the Council of the University.

Replying thereto, the King spoke of his pride in having been a member of the university and the pleasure with which he always looked back at his undergraduate days at Trinity College, and emphasized the necessity for the extension and development of all branches of study and research, which were essential to the maintenance of the greatness and welfare of the Empire. After heartily thanking those present for the welcome to the Queen and himself, King Edward concluded:

"I join with you in your prayer that my Empire may continue in peace and prosperity throughout my reign."

Their majesties were accorded a memorable reception from the under graduates. The town was elaborately decorated and filled with visitors.

# J. J. ALLEN ANSWERS REV. DR. DILLE.

EDITOR TRIBUNE—Your issue of February 29 quoted Dr. Dille as saying that a complaisant District Attorney dismissed informations against McKowen.

There was but one information filed against McKowen and, upon that one, he was sentenced.

The expert employed by the Regents of the University swore to that complaint. The facts stated gave this county jurisdiction of the offense.

At the conclusion of the case presented upon the complaint filed such further action as the facts warranted was to be taken by this office.

Judge Snook, attorney for the Regents, was associated with the prosecution in the case disposed of, and at the time of the disposition of that case was to notify this office of any further complaints which they desired the District Attorney's office to prepare.

No informations were dismissed. Very respectfully,

JOHN J. ALLEN,
District Attorney.


## SLEEP IS PRICELESS.

But It Can Be Obtained by Simple Methods.

Are you a hard worker? Are you overcome with fatigue at the end of each day's labor, and instead of retiring to bed with a feeling of satisfaction at the prospect of a night's repose, do you wait the hour of bedtime with dread and shrinking.

Is it your unhappy lot to be awakened every night, just after you have dropped off to sleep, by an intense, uncontrollable itching of the rectum? Do you then endeavor to relieve the sensation by scratching so desperately that the skin becomes raw and lacerated, and you finally sink into the sleep of exhaustion?

If so, you do not need to be told that you are afflicted with itching piles. You have probably tried every remedy you could hear of, with but temporary relief, if any, and have concluded there was nothing left for you but to drag out a miserable existence. As a drowning man grasps at a straw, so should you eagerly devour the words of W. O. Milbury, 70 Pearl St., Reading, Massachusetts.

"I am pleased to state that I bought one fifty cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure at the drug store, and used about one half of it, and it not only cured me of itching piles, but also of constipation, a trouble of about fifteen years standing. I have tried almost everything without any lasting benefit, but I can honestly and truthfully state that Pyramid Pile Cure has entirely cured me, as I have had no return of that terrible itching, which used to keep me awake by the hour, night after night. If the old trouble should ever return I will know just what to do, but I guess it won't for it is now six or seven months since I first used this wonderful remedy."

We vouch for the authenticity of this testimonial, and as Mr. Milbury found relief and a cure, so you may also. Do not delay, but buy a box and try it tonight, and do not allow any dealer to sell you "something just as good." You will do well to write Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., for their little book on the causes and cure of piles, which is sent free for the asking.


# COUNTY GENERAL FUND OVERDRAWN.

County Auditor Bacon this morning asked the opinion of District Attorney Allen in regard to the amount of claims the Board of Supervisors are allowed to contract within the first six months of the year, with a view to stopping the further expenditure of money until the treasury has a chance to replete itself.

According to the Auditor's figures a deficit is staring the county in the face at the end of the present year. The question propounded by him to the District Attorney this morning was whether the Board of Supervisors under the law could contract to spend more than 70 per cent of the total calculated expense for the year within the first six months.

Within this question another point was raised as to whether by "expend" meant bills actually allowed or bills contracted for.

In his answer District Attorney Allen quoted the statute governing the matter, which states that the Board is not allowed to spend more than 70 per cent of the total calculated expense within the first six months of the fiscal year, and construed this to mean bills contracted for as well as paid, if the contracts are to be completed within the first six months and thereby become a just claim against the county.

Under this ruling the Board of Supervisors is overdrawn. There is now left in the general fund of the county about $68,000 to go on between now and July 1. There are bills now contracted for and which will be due between now and July 1 to the amount of $48,000, without taking into consideration the paying for the heating plant for the county buildings at a cost of about $18,000 and the first installment of the voting machine contract of $31,500.

At the beginning of the year there was $1,133,000 for the Board to spend exclusive of what went to the State. Of this amount $187,428 was placed in the general fund, which, according to the figures given out, will be overdrawn.

COSTLY CHANGE OF MIND.

John Anderson, charged with vagrancy, first pleaded not guilty, and then changed his mind in Judge Samuel's court this morning. The change cost him 90 days, as the court immediately sentenced him to that length of time in the county jail.


Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

is the best and most popular medicine in use for bowel complaints. It never fails and is pleasant to take. Mr. R. Woodward, of Rosslyn, Va., says, "I have handled Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for twelve years; have never sold a bottle that did not give perfect satisfaction, and it is the best selling diarrhoea medicine that I handle." For sale by Osmont Bros., Seventh and Broadway.

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Shampooing, facial and scalp treatment. Fine line of hair goods. Virginia Diehl, 524 Fourteenth st. Phone Pine 276.


Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Phebe T. Watkins, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Phebe T. Watkins, deceased, and for the issuance to Joseph M. Little and John O. Watkins of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 14th day of March, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 1st, 1904.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By MARTIN J. HANLEY,
Deputy Clerk.

LLOYD BALDWIN, 614 Crossley Building, San Francisco, Attorney for Petitioner.


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# RICE WRITES TO JUDGE GREENE

CANNING HEIR RECEIVES VERY SHARP REPLY IN CONTEST OF THE WILL.

Michael Rice, a nephew of the late Mrs. Mary Canning and a cousin of W. J. and John M. Yore, has arrived here from the Mojave mining district, in the State of Arizona, in order to join with his cousins in a contest of the will of his deceased aunt. The family is gradually getting together and it is expected that important developments in the matter will soon take place.

When the provisions of the will were first announced, W. J. Yore was the only member of the family in this city. The next to arrive was his brother, John, who came from Chicago. The former states that, so far as he is concerned, he does not want a contest, but he wants to see his brother, who was with Mrs. Canning for twenty-two years, receive what he believes are his deserts.

Then Mrs. Michael Davitt, a sister of the Yores, arrived from Ireland. Mrs. Davitt, with Archbishop Montgomery, for the Catholic Church, are the only legatees under the will.

Now Rice has appeared. He states that he had already written to the late W. W. Foote to care for his interests when he heard later of his death. He then wrote a letter to Judge Greene, asking him to put off the hearing of the contest until he could arrive. In reply Judge Greene sent him a sharp answer, in which he stated that he could not act as both judge and attorney in the case, and that he could not delay the hearing if the matter came up for settlement and the contestants appeared in court with their witnesses.

Rather than let his interests go he made quick arrangements after the receipt of the letter and is now on the scene to join conclusions with his cousins or take up the contest alone.

Mrs. Davitt has not yet indicated what she is going to do in the matter. Her brothers have been waiting for her to give them a definite reply as to what she intends to do. As the will now stands she is left one-half of an estate whose value is placed approximately at $78,000. The other half goes to the church. Besides what she was left in the will of her aunt Mrs. Davitt received a Christmas present of $30,000 from Mrs. Canning.

There are yet more relatives who would receive a share of the estate in case the will is broken. In the meantime, the various interests are figuring to see if a compromise is not possible.

Rice claims that he was brought to this country by his aunt and was afterwards dropped by her, and he states that he believes that he has more than a mere legal claim upon her estate.

# DICK WILL BE CHOSEN SENATOR TOMORROW.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 1.—The State Senate balloted for United States Senator this afternoon, Dick received 27 and Clark 4 votes.

The House vote resulted: Dick 87, Clark 21.

The vote in the House and Senate insured Dick formal election at the joint session tomorrow.

FINDS CAMILLE GUILTY.

Camille Ward, a dance hall habitue of San Francisco, was found guilty of vagrancy this morning by Police Judge Smith. She will come up for sentence tomorrow.

# STRIKE-BREAKER BEATEN

TELEGRAPH MESSENGERS DEFY COURT INJUNCTION AND ASSAIL RIVAL.

CHICAGO, March 1.—An injunction issued by the Federal Court against striking telegraph messenger boys failed to put a stop to "slugging" tactics. One of the adult messengers employed as a strike-breaker was beaten into insensibility and another roughly handled. In each case the strike-breaker was attacked by a dozen boys who had trailed him from the company's office. The assailants only desisted on the arrival of the police.

# FIGURES "DOPE" IN HIS DREAMS.

Talking horses in his hours of sleep as well as while awake, Perley Whibby occupies a cell in the County Jail under observation of Dr. Tisdale, who has as yet been unable to satisfactorily diagnose the case. Whibby is a follower of the races and was brought from Emeryville by Marshal Lane for temporary confinement until it could be determined what was the proper charge to put against the man.

Upon nearing the cell occupied by him one hears him saying:

"Bring me that curry comb. That's a fine shape to bring a horse out in. Whoa, boy." Then, going through the motions of patting the horse's satiny coat, he says: "You'll do."

Then as quickly his humor will change and he will go through the motions of dealing cards around a table. He evidently plays the game in his mind, for he will say: "Sam, you're a chip shy. All right, $10, and I will raise you $5 more."

Then he will stop and listen, and asks: "Do you hear that fellow going around the track? Pshaw! he can't win."

Approach the cell so that he sees you and he will say: "I've got a good thing. Come up close. I ain't going to tell everybody." And then he will whisper "Our Bessie" in your ear.

And so he continues. The doctor says it is caused from lack of sleep, and today the patient was put under a powerful soporific.

# STRIKE PICKETING DECLARED ILLEGAL.

CHICAGO, March 1.—The Appellate Court today reaffirmed that picketing by strikers is illegal. The decision upheld an injunction against the striking iron moulders issued by Judge Holdon, on petition of the Illinois Malleable Iron Company.


**Woman's Nature** Is to love children, and no home can be completely happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass usually is so full of suffering, danger and fear that she looks forward to the critical hour with apprehension and dread. **Mother's Friend,** by its penetrating and soothing properties, allays nausea, nervousness, and all unpleasant feelings, and so prepares the system for the ordeal that she passes through the event safely and with but little suffering, as numbers have testified and said, "it is worth its weight in gold." $1.00 per bottle of druggists. Book containing valuable information mailed free.

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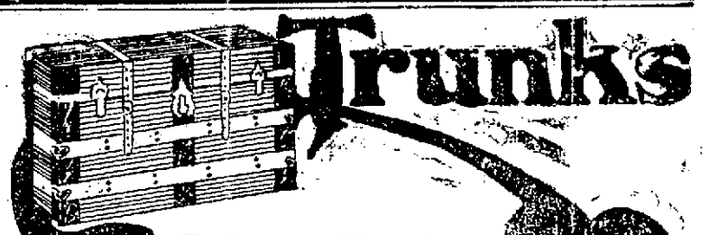

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# LEGISLATORS AT CAPITAL.

CORRESPONDENT TELLS HOW PERKINS AND METCALF ARE ENGAGED.

A dispatch to the Call from Washington, relating to the work and methods of California's delegation in Congress, has the following regarding the national legislators, viz. Senators Perkins and Representative Victor Metcalf, who are residents of this city:

"The Senators have their offices and committee rooms in the big brick building known as the Senate Annex, just out of the Capitol grounds and north of it. Their rooms are on the third floor in the same hall. Senator George C. Perkins, ranking member of the delegation, is chairman of the Committee on Civil Service and Retrenchment. He is a member of a long string of important committees, the list being: Appropriations, Commerce, Fisheries, Forest Reservations and the Protection of Game, Naval Affairs and Transportation Routes to the Seaboard. He is prominently placed on the subcommittees of the General Appropriation Committee and is an effective force there. He is chairman of the sub-Committee on Fortifications and a member of the Sundry Civil Appropriations and, as a member of the Committee on Naval Affairs and of Commerce, he has to do with the appropriation bill for each of these branches of the government. In his capacity as chairman of the Committee on Fortifications he has been active and potent in securing appropriations for the defense of the Golden Gate and along the coast. His secretary is Frank Sawyer of San Francisco, who has been with him in that capacity many years. He is aided by a competent typewriter. Senator Perkins lives at Stoneleigh Court, the magnificent apartment-house, but recently completed at Connecticut avenue and L street, built and owned by Secretary Hay. His daughter, Pansy, is with him.

VICTOR H. METCALF.

"Of the delegation in the House, the Hon. Victor H. Metcalf and the Hon. James C. Needham have served three consecutive terms, and the Hon. James McLachlan three with an interval after the first. The others are all first termers. The Hon. V. H. Metcalf of Oakland, as a member of the Ways and Means Committee, has a position of great influence on the floor of the House. He has been very active with regard to Californian interests and is the author of the bill providing for an additional Federal Judge for the Northern District. Mr. Metcalf is in the confidence of the leaders of national politics in Washington. With his wife and son, Howard, he resides at the Arlington Hotel. Howard attends the Washington School, on Wisconsin avenue."

# BOOSTERS MEET TONIGHT

AGGREGATION OF MEN AND WOMEN TO ADVANCE INTERESTS OF OAKLAND.

The meeting of the "Oakland Boosters" tonight in the rooms of the Board of Trade, 522 Twelfth street, promises to be very largely attended. Representatives of the State Board of Trade will be present to help the good work along. Most of the ladies and gentlemen who recently took the Board of Trade excursion to Los Angeles will attend and will tell how, on the 11th of February, on the top of Mt. Lowe, it was decided to form the Oakland Boosters' Club.

The qualification for membership in the club is simply that the applicant will, at any and all times, speak well for Oakland and do their utmost to convince anybody they may hear talking against Oakland to change his views. At the meeting tonight a temporary organization will be formed and committees appointed to nominate officers for a permanent organization.

It is the object of the "Boosters" to advertise Oakland at all times. The Rope Committee, made famous on the trip to Catalina, will be on hand to see that the numbers on the informal program are complied with.

NEWSPAPER MAN DEAD.

MARINETTE, Wis., March 1.—Joseph Boultz, editor of the Menominee Leader, was found dead in bed today. Death was supposed to have resulted from heart failure.

EASTERN TEMPERATURE.

CHICAGO, March 1.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.:

New York 34; Boston, Chicago and Minneapolis 30; Philadelphia 4[illegible]; Washington, Cincinnati 36; St. Louis 40.


## DOCTOR'S COFFEE

And His Daughter Matched Him.

Coffee drinking troubled the family of a physician of Grafton, West Virginia, who describes the situation briefly:

"Having suffered quite a while from vertigo, palpitation of the heart and many other derangements of the nervous system and finding no relief from usual methods of treatment, I thought to see how much there was in the Postum argument against coffee.

"So I resorted to Postum, cutting off the coffee, and to my surprise and satisfaction have found entire relief from all my sufferings, proving conclusively the baneful effect of coffee and the way to be rid of it.

"I have found Postum completely takes the place of coffee both in flavor and in taste. It is becoming more popular every day with many of our people and is having great demand here.

"My daughter, Mrs. Long, has been a sufferer for a long time from attacks of acute indigestion. By the dismissal of coffee and using Postum in its place she has obtained complete relief.

"I have also heard from many others who have used your Postum very favorable accounts of its good effects.

"I prescribe Postum in place of coffee in a great many cases and I believe that upon its merits Postum will come into general use." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Michigan.

Look for the famous little book "The Road to Wellville," in each package.


# BAKERS' STRIKE ENDED.

FINAL ADJUSTMENT AFTER FOUR WEEKS OF BOYCOTT.

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABEL COUNCIL OAKLAND, CAL.

After a long and bitter fight the Bakers' strike at the Log Cabin Bakery has come to an end. W. H. Ward, the proprietor, has agreed to consider the man over whom the controversy was waged as a superintendent with no right to mix dough or enter into any part of the work of the establishment as a baker. It is claimed by Business Agent E. E. Foley that at no time was any thing more asked from the owner. The strike was called over a month ago as the union claimed that the Log Cabin Bakery had broken its agreement to employ non-union men.

The old employes of the bakery will be re-instated within a week. This includes the drivers who went out in sympathy with the bakers. The Central Labor Council received a communication from W. H. Ward last night and took action to lift the boycott.

LADIES' LABEL LEAGUE.

Notice was given at the Central body that the Ladies' Label League will meet next Thursday evening in Cooks and Walters' Hall, corner of Eighth street and Broadway.

CARPENTERS' COUNCIL.

At last night's meeting the District Council of Carpenters took charge of the old Headquarters of No. 36, located on Tenth street, between Broadway and Washington streets.

The council will no longer maintain a union store at the headquarters. L. E. Pape has been appointed to care for the rooms, to succeed L. O. Mathews who has been in charge for a number of years past.

The committee having the temple structure in hand, reported progress and is having papers of incorporation drawn up by a local attorney.

BUTCHERS VICTORIOUS.

The reports were received last night from the employers securing the new butchers wage schedule. It was talked on the street that a strike would be declared today and many waited anxiously the report of the meeting.

There was no opposition. All shops excepting four establishments were in favor and it is expected these will sign up before long.

The new wage schedule calls for: Blockmen $18 a week; sausage makers, $18 a week; drivers and cutters, $16 a week; boys, $10 a week. The union will not admit to membership hereafter any boy under 18 years of age. All shops will close at 9 a. m. on Labor Day. Shops will keep open until 10 p. m. the day preceding a holiday. Shops will close all day holidays excepting, possibly, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's.

The union initiated five new members.

The butchers are now satisfied with their growth. In raising themselves to a better financial condition they started at the bottom and worked up. Every man has been bettered in condition and the reformation started with the poorest paid member of the craft and gradually worked upward.

CONDUCTORS BALL.

Beautiful decorations, graceful women in tasteful gowns, a display of well groomed full-dressed men and splendid music comprised the Conductors ball given last night in Maple Hall. The dance was by far the most successful event of the season in the world of organized labor.

There were no steam engines or Pullman sleepers worked into the decorations. Cut flowers, ferns and potted plants were everywhere from the entrance to the end of the hall, where a giant monogram of the order, O. R. C., was worked in red and white carnations. Smilax ribbons were artistically festooned from the ceiling and the chandeliers were masses of ferns gracefully arranged.

The music commenced at eight thirty and an hour later the grand march was started.

Among those present were Mrs. H. C. Watson, Mrs. L. L. Stevens, Mrs. J. W. Murdock, Miss Nellie Gallagher, Mrs. H. W. Moore, Mrs. T. Dempsey, Mrs. N. B. Allen, Mrs. John Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Norton, Mrs. J. Whissen, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rivers, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nutting, Mr. John Commings, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Shattuck, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dalvidson, Miss T. Pool, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bair, Mr. F. F. Lloyd, W. V. Stafford, Superintendent J. C. Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. William Heckle, James O'Day and wife, Miss Lena E. Spence, Miss Alice Corrigan, Miss Lucile Williams, Miss Gladys Jackson, Misses Hattie and Ida Sampson, Miss Margarette Murphy, Misses Alice and May Renton, T. Sloan, O. K. Keyes, Miss Della Fisher, Miss Dagma Dahlgren, Mrs. W. J. Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor, Perry Thomas, C. E. Powell, Walter Tupper, Mr. Hastings, Mr. Lamb, Mr. Sargent, Mr. Curry, Sheriff Bishop.

The following committees had charge of the ball:

Arrangements—W. F. Heckell, L. L. Stevens, H. W. Moore; reception—Mesdames E. J. Burns, N. B. Allen, A. Hughes, E. Rathburn, D. W. Nutting. Messrs. George McHugh, A. Hughes, L. W. Cummings, R. P. Wylie, B. Spicer; floor director, E. W. Rivers; assistants, H. C. Watson, E. J. Burns, E. L. Bair, F. Ackerman, H. A. Clark, James Kilpatrick, M. C. Hubbard, W. V. Stafford, J. D. Moffitt.

# VISITORS RIDE THROUGH OAKLAND.

The Board of Trade's "All-Day-for-a-Dollar" excursion yesterday was patronized by the following: S. W. Brown and wife, Albany, N. Y.; Edward Baius, Philadelphia; Hubert C. Vilick, Brighton, Eng.; J. D. Wallace and wife, Rose M. Walker, Edith I. Walker, Pittsburg, Pa.; E. W. Read, Broadwell, Ill.; John F. Casper and wife, Walla Walla, Wash.; V. H. Pease and wife, Salt Lake City; Mrs. M. Gerring, San Francisco; T. F. Lee, Lakeport, Col.; Mrs. Helen Craig, Oakland.

# HARPER UNDER SURGEON'S KNIFE.

CHICAGO, March 1.—President Harper was operated on for appendicitis this morning.

President Harper, of the Chicago University, withstood the shock well. After the operation his condition was said to be highly satisfactory by the physicians.


Hill Bros. Arabian Roast is rich and mellow, Java and Mocha.

**Miss Agnes Miller, of Chicago, speaks to young women about dangers of the Menstrual Period.**

"To Young Women:—I suffered for six years with dysmenorrhea (painful periods), so much so that I dreaded every month, as I knew it meant three or four days of intense pain. The doctor said this was due to an inflamed condition of the uterine appendages caused by repeated and neglected colds.

"If young girls only realized how dangerous it is to take cold at this critical time, much suffering would be spared them. Thank God for **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** that was the only medicine which helped me any. Within three weeks after I started to take it, I noticed a marked improvement in my general health, and at the time of my next monthly period the pain had diminished considerably. I kept up the treatment, and was cured a month later. I am like another person since. I am in perfect health, my eyes are brighter, I have added 12 pounds to my weight, my color is good, and I feel light and happy."—Miss Agnes Miller, 25 Potomac Ave., Chicago, Ill.—*$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

**The monthly sickness reflects the condition of a woman's health. Anything unusual at that time should have prompt and proper attention.**


COLOSSAL FIGURES IN LIFE INSURANCE. WHAT DO THEY MEAN?

The published statements of banks, trust companies and industrial concerns command the attention of persons interested in them as investors or depositors; the Annual Statements of great Life Insurance Companies are read by the mass of the people with all the interest that attaches to the more important news of the day. It cannot be otherwise when practically every family in every community feels that its own fortunes are closely connected with and dependent upon the operations of one or more of these tremendous beneficent associations.

The Metropolitan Life puts forth a statement of its business in 1903, presenting an array of figures that shows impressively the intimate relations between this institution and the whole people. In one item alone an amazing fact is stated. It is that giving the number of policies in force on the last day of the year—more than 7,500,000—showing that one person in every ten of the entire population of the United States is insured in this Company.

In other items the figures are too large to convey any clear meaning until they are divided and subdivided and made to apply to days and hours instead of years. For example, this great Company has paid to and invested for its policy holders since organization, over $238,000,000—a sum that will impress the average reader merely as being vast and very vague. There is quick comprehension, however, when we learn by a little calculation that during 1903 the amount thus distributed among policy holders averaged $89 a minute during every working day of the year.

Every day in the year 359 claims were paid; every day in the year more than 6,000 new policies were written. At the end of every day in the year the Company's Assets were more than $50,000 greater than in the morning. Its total assets at the end of the year were more than $105,000,000. Its total income for the one year 1903 was over $49,000,000.

Going back twenty years we have some comparative figures that tell a story of almost incredible growth. The Company's income for the year 1883 was a little over $8,000,000; for 1893 a little over $15,000,000; for 1903 over $49,000,000; its surplus since 1883 has increased from about $627,000 to $10,000,000. When we come to the amount of outstanding insurance at the end of the year we pass the billion mark. The exact sum is $1,342,381,457.00.

The Metropolitan Life received from premiums and other sources during 1903 over $6,500,000 more than in 1902. Considering the relative condition of the financial markets in these two years, this exhibit is at first surprising, then illuminating. In 1902 money was plentiful; public confidence in the manifold projects of promoters and financiers had never been stronger; "times were good." In 1903 these conditions were reversed. Thousands of hitherto prosperous wage earners were out of employment; others were forced to accept reduced wages; the incomes of the well-to-do shrank and dwindled; and everywhere there was a desire to withhold money from investment. Yet this year was by far the most prosperous year of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's existence.

Nothing could show more plainly what Life Insurance really stands for in the minds of the people. It is not regarded as a speculative venture, but a sure promise of security; a safe shelter when financial storm-clouds threaten general wreck.

A concern like the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company is, of course, a business organization, but it is one of which all of its policy holders are bona fide partners, "a company of the people, by the people and for the people," one that has known how to gain and how to justify the confidence of the whole community.

That is why no bank stockholder will read the annual report of his own prosperous bank with keener relish than people everywhere read this remarkable statement of the Metropolitan Life.

# EARTH SHAKES ALONG THE COAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—A moderately severe earthquake shock was felt here at 6:09:08 o'clock this morning. Its duration was about four seconds. No damage was done.

AT SAN JOSE.

SAN JOSE, March 1.—About 6 o'clock this morning another slight earthquake was felt in this city, being the third that has occurred within ten days. None of these was sharp enough to frighten anybody except the naturally timid, and no damage was done.


SAN FRANCISCO ADVERTISEMENTS.

# PATTOSIEN'S

Cor. 16th and Mission Streets.

## Great Retiring Sale

## $250,000 Stock of Furniture

Thousands of eager buyers have thronged our stores since the beginning of this sale. Such values have never been offered before and will never be offered again.

For the past month our wagons have been kept busy hauling these bargains to our thousands of customers.

The managers, desirous of closing out this immense stock as rapidly as possible, have made the prices so low that we expect to see last month's wonderful sales outdone.

Extra arrangements have been made for deliveries. Customers who desire to anticipate their wants for spring refurnishing can leave their purchases in our ware-rooms until May 1.

**Parlor Furniture.**

$96.00 Parlor Suit, three pieces. Sale price ... $69.20
$199.00 Solid Mahogany 3-Piece Suit. Sale price ... $132.00
$120.00 Solid Mahogany 2-Piece Suit. Sale price ... $90.00
$89.00 Mahogany Veneered 3-Piece Suit. Sale price ... $63.40
$83.00 Solid Mahogany Rocker, wide seat. Sale price ... $22.50
$15.75 Mahogany Slipper Rocker, upholstered spring seat. Sale price ... $11.75
$30.00 Mahogany Rocker, upholstered leather seat. Sale price ... $20.25
$45.00 Solid Mahogany Library Rocker, upholstered leather spring seat. Sale price ... $30.00
$9.00 Mahogany Slipper Rocker. Sale price ... $6.00
$4.25 Imitation Mahogany Rocker, upholstered back. Sale price ... $3.00
$22.50 Solid Mahogany Reception Chair. Sale price ... $15.00
$20.50 Solid Mahogany Reception Chair, upholstered spring seat. Sale price ... $13.80
$62.00 Large Mahogany Davenport, upholstered in Verona. Sale price ... $44.00
$68.50 Mahogany Davenport, heavy carved legs and back. Sale price ... $54.50
$69.00 Davenport Bed mahogany or oak finish. Sale price ... $52.50
$46.00 Gold Divan. Sale price ... $27.20
$23.50 Mahogany Parlor Chair. Sale price ... $17.60
$36.00 Mahogany Parlor Suit, 3 pieces. Sale price ... $28.00
$54.00 Mahogany Parlor Suit, 5 pieces. Sale price ... $36.00
$42.00 Mahogany Parlor Suit, 3 pieces. Sale price ... $30.00
$31.50 Gold Divan. Sale price ... $21.00
$88.50 Mahogany Parlor Suit, 5 pieces. Sale price ... $67.50

Dressing Table
Sale Price $15.00
Value $24.00.

The above Dressing Table can be had in either Mahogany or Oak. It has a beautiful French Mirror, 20x16 inches; this table is hand polished; has beautiful French-shaped legs; two roomy drawers, one velvet lined. Retiring Sale price $15.00. Regular price $24.00.

**Bedroom Furniture.**

$92.00 Magnificent Bird's-eye Maple Dresser, large 42 inch French plate. Sale price ... $75.00
$44.00 Bird's-eye Maple Dressing Table, Colonial design. Sale price ... $29.25
$30.00 "Princess" Dresser, high-class finish and design. Sale price ... $29.50
$57.00 Birch Dresser, natural finish, large oval mirror. Sale price ... $38.60
$45.00 Immense "Princess" Dresser, large French Plate 28x40 inches. Sale price ... $30.40
$44.50 Mahogany Dresser, large plate mirror. Sale price ... $30.00
$39.00 Elegant Bird's-eye Maple Dresser. Sale price ... $23.00
$35.00 Solid Mahogany Dresser, Serpentine front, piano finish. Sale price ... $27.50
$43.50 Solid Mahogany Chiffonier. Sale price ... $29.50
$32.00 Bird's-eye Maple Chiffonier. Sale price ... $24.50
$22.50 Solid Oak Chiffonier, swell front. Sale price ... $18.25
$193.00 Bird's-eye Maple Bed and Dresser. Sale price ... $129.75
$80.50 Bird's-eye Maple Bed and Dresser. Sale price ... $57.00
$44.00 Bird's-eye Maple Suit, 3 pieces. Sale price ... $29.40
$58.00 Oak Suit, Colonial style. Sale price ... $49.60
$30.00 Bird's-eye Maple Shaving Stand, dainty design. Sale price ... $22.50
$30.00 Solid Oak Suit 3 pieces. Sale price ... $19.40
$18.00 Mahogany Chiffonier, without mirror. Sale price ... $10.25
$90.00 Solid Mahogany Chiffonier, high-class Colonial design. Sale price ... $60.00
$80.00 Solid Oak Bedroom Suit, heavy rolled foot and head board. Sale price ... $56.75
$65.00 Solid Oak Bedroom Suit, rolled foot board. Sale price ... $43.00
$90.00 Combination Wardrobe and Chiffonier, 7 feet high, two mirrors, one 60x16 inches, one 16x16 inches; oak, mahogany or bird's-eye maple ... $70.00
$240.00 Massive Golden Oak Suit. Sale price ... $191.80
$240.00 Circassian Walnut Suit. Sale price ... $161.00

**Dining Room Furniture.**

$4.00 Golden Oak Leather Box Seat Dining Chair. Sale price ... $2.90
$8.00 Weathered Oak Box Seat Dining Chair, Mission style, leather seat and back. Sale price ... $5.90
$9.75 Golden Oak Box Seat Dining Chair, leather seat and back. Sale price ... $6.80
$4.00 Golden Oak or Weathered Oak Saddle Seat Dining Chair. Sale price ... $2.65
$12.50 Weathered Oak Dining Chair, Old Mission style, Spanish leather upholstered seat. Sale price ... $8.25
$17.00 Golden Oak Buffet, highly polished. Sale price ... $11.40
$29.50 Golden Oak Buffet, two top drawers, one large linen drawer, elegant design. Sale price ... $19.75
$50.00 "Mission" Buffet, weathered oak finish, beaded glass doors, heavy brass trimmings. Sale price ... $41.00
$25.00 "Mission" Buffet, weathered oak finish. Sale price ... $17.75
$31.00 Weathered Oak Dining Table, 48-inch square top, massive square legs. Sale price ... $20.00
$18.00 Golden Oak Extension Table, 45-inch top, highly polished, heavy twisted legs. Sale price ... $13.50
$12.00 Solid Oak Extension Table, 42-inch top, polished. Sale price ... $8.25
$40.00 Finest Quarter-Sawed Oak Round Pedestal Table, heavy carved legs, 48-inch top. Sale price ... $29.50
$87.50 Combination China Closet and Buffet. Sale price ... $59.75

THIS CHAIR box seat diner. Rich quarter-sawed oak. Heavy, shapely French legs Genuine leather seat.

Leather Seat Dining Chair. Sale price $2.90

**Brass and Iron Beds.**

$96.00 Elegant Brass Bed, 2-inch posts. Sale price ... $75.00
$67.50 Brass Bed, fancy brass corners. Sale price ... $52.00
$60.00 Fancy Colored Iron Bed. Sale price ... $40.00
$20.50 Brass and Enameled Iron Bed. Sale price ... $16.00
$12.50 Iron Bed, brass trimmings. Sale price ... $8.00
$27.00 Iron Bed, half brass. Sale price ... $13.00
$36.00 Iron Bed, heavy brass trimmings. Sale price ... $27.10
$16.00 Iron Bed. Sale price ... $12.00
$12.00 Iron Bed. Sale price ... $8.75
$10.00 Iron Bed, ¾ size. Sale price ... $7.50
$8.00 Iron Bed, ¾ size. Sale price ... $6.25
$12.00 Iron Bed, ¾ size. Sale price ... $8.00
$6.00 Iron Bed, ¾ size. Sale price ... $4.85

**More Bedroom Furniture.**

$147.00 Solid Mahogany Colonial Suit. Sale price ... $99.50
$86.50 Mahogany Dresser, French plate. Sale price ... $57.60
$21.50 Mahogany or Oak Shaving Stand. Sale price ... $14.50
$44.00 Weathered Oak Dressing Table, French bevel mirror 36x17 inches. Sale price ... $29.50
$20.00 Solid Oak Dresser, swell front, 20x24 French plate mirror. Sale price ... $14.00

**Couches and Leather Furniture**
All made in our own factory.

$75.00 Turkish Rocker, oak frame, red morocco leather. Sale price ... $58.50
$20.00 Sleepy Hollow Rocker, golden oak frame. Sale price ... $13.60
$60.00 Turkish Chair, black leather, steel frame. Sale price ... $42.50
$29.00 Gondola Couch, hair top. Sale price ... $19.40
$33.00 Couch, oak frame, claw feet, Verona covering. Sale price ... $22.50
$17.00 Gondola Couch. Sale price ... $14.50
$21.50 Fine Gondola Couch, solid oak frame. Sale price ... $16.25
$65.00 Black Morocco Couch, solid oak frame. Sale price ... $42.50
$17.75 Rococo Couch. Sale price ... $14.50
$13.50 Patent Box Couch. Sale price ... $10.25
$13.50 Velour Couches, oak frame. Sale price ... $8.90
$36.00 Morris Chair, leather cover, elegant oak frame. Sale price ... $26.00
$20.50 Oak Library Chair, pantasote covering, polished oak frame. Sale price ... $13.50

Mission Desk
$11.50
REAL VALUE $16.00.
Finished in fumed oak and made in our own factory.

Richmond Ranges $30.00 Real value $42

Regal Ranges $25.00 Real value $36.50

Pattosien's Cor. 16th and Mission

## Carpets, Rugs, Linoleum, Matting,

## Drapery & Furniture Fabrics, Wall Coverings,

## At 25c, 35c and 40c on the Dollar.

An opportunity of a lifetime to refurnish homes, apartments, hotels, club houses and theaters at your own price. Decorators, upholsterers and manufacturers should avail themselves of these wonderful bargains—all are marked at prices that will surprise you. This mammoth sale commenced Feb. 1st, and at times it was impossible to wait on the customers. To-morrow extra salespeople will assist during the rush hours—PATTOSIEN'S WILL POSITIVELY CLOSE BEFORE MAY FIRST.

**Beautiful Silk and Satin Damasks, French Silk Gobelin Tapestries,**

60c Values at 37½c.
50-inch French Jutes, 50-inch Tapestry, 50-inch Drapery Fabrics. All at your choice, a yard, 37½c.

$1.50 to $2.50 Values at 85c
50-inch Imported French Taffeta, excellent quality, new French designs and colorings. All at your choice, a yard, 85c.

$4.50 to $7.50 Values at $3.25.
50 inches wide, including only the very finest All-Silk Damasks, Silk Velours, Rich Brochet Fabrics, etc. All at your choice, a yard, $3.25.

**French Verdure Tapestries, English and French Art Tapestries,**

$1.50 Values at 85c.
50-inch Figured Tapestry, 50-inch Mercerized Tapestry, figured and in solid colors. All at your choice, a yard, 85c.

$2.00 Values at $1.15.
50-inch Imported Fabrics in beautiful Oriental designs and colorings, also large assortment of other makes and styles of Drapery and Furniture. All at your choice, a yard, $1.15.

$3.00 to $4.50 Values at $2.00.
50-inch Fine Imported Silk Damasks, Velours, etc., suitable for Furniture and Drapery. All at your choice, a yard, $2.00.

**Oriental Fabrics of French Make, Rich Figured Silk Velours.**

**Surplus Stock Portieres.**

$12.00 Values at $8.80.
Mercerized Portieres, assorted colors and designs—never shown or seen in this country before—no duplicates. All at your choice, a pair, $8.80.

$10.00 Values at $5.50.
Vitraux Portieres, very beautiful effects, suitable for dining-rooms, library or reception halls. No duplicates. All at your choice, a pair, $5.50.

$7.50 and $6.50 Values at $3.50.
French Tapestry Portieres, Lucania Tapestry Portieres. All are French manufacture. All at your choice, pair, $3.50.

**Lace Curtains and Madras.**
As importer's surplus stock of Point de Cairo, Irish Points, Renaissance, Arabians, Bonne Femmes, Madras, etc., AT EXACTLY ONE-HALF PRICE.
$6.00 values at, a pair ... $2.50
$6.00 values at, a pair ... $3.00
$7.50 values at, a pair ... $3.75
$8.50 values at, a pair ... $4.25
$10.00 values at, a pair ... $5.00
$15.00 values at, a pair ... $7.50
$20.00 values at, a pair ... $10.00

**Remnants, Samples, Etc.**
5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.
The finest Drapery and Furniture Fabrics. Pieces in this lot worth from 20c to $6 each.

PATTOSIEN CO. CORNER SIXTEENTH AND MISSION STREETS.


# DEMOCRATS FIGHT IN SESSION

MEN IN ST. LOUIS CONVENTION LEAP FROM WINDOWS FOR SAFETY.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—The Democratic County Convention which met today at Clayton to select delegates to the State Convention for the nomination for candidates ended in a row and a split.

The Folk delegates, to escape their opponents, jumped from the windows of the Court House where the convention was held.

The turmoil stopped the Barrington murder trial.

Eventually the Hawes delegates met and elected delegates while the adherents of Joseph Folk decided to meet later this week.

CARS STALLED BY SNOW.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 1.—Seven eastbound passenger trains on the New York Central were unable to proceed owing to deep snow between this city and Utica and were tied up here for several hours today. No train from the East has reached Syracuse up to noon. Morning trains on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg and Auburn roads were all annulled.

No trains are running on the Syracuse division of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western. Snow plows have been sent out.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 1.—The worst blizzard of the season swept over this city last night. In a few moments all trolley lines were practically out of business and soon drifts on the sidewalks were almost unsurmountable. A lively thunder storm accompanied the blizzard.


Always Remember the Full Name Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days E. W. Grove on every box. 25c



Colds Are Dangerous.

How often you hear it remarked: "It's only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is of such common occurrence that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. It always cures and is pleasant to take. For sale by Osgood Bros., Seventh and Broadway.

Never Mind Hot-Air Machines!
Stick by the J. J. Lerri & Co. Steam Cleaning Works, 368 Fourth street. Phone Main 385. New carpets at bedrock prices.

## IS LIFE WORTH LIVING?

Sun, electric arc light and magnetic treatment make living a joy and work a pleasure. Cure nervousness, skin and blood diseases, dropsy, paralysis, rheumatism, etc. Susan Swaysgood, D. M., 560 Fourteenth street.

## MEAT QUOTATIONS

Beef and Mutton, lower; Pork and Veal easier.

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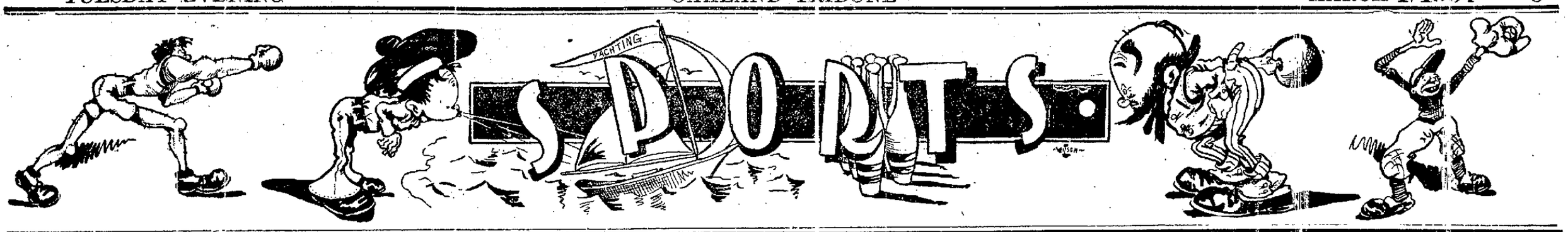
| Roast beef, per lb | 8 cents |
| Boil Beef, per lb | 6 cents |
| Rib Steak, 3-lbs | 25 cents |
| Mutton Chops, per lb | 10 cents |
| Mutton Stew, per lb | 5 cents |
| Shoulder of Lamb, per lb | 7 cents |
| Pork Chops, per lb | 12½ cts |
| Roast Pork, per lb | 11 cents |
| Smoke Sausage, 3 lbs | 25 cents |

STRICTLY A UNION MARKET.

Vincent's Market, 7th & Washington
Telephone Main 161.




# NECK TO NECK MR. DINGLE WINS.

ONE-MILE RACE FOUGHT OUT HOTLY FROM START TO FINISH.

The first fine day since the opening of the races at Emeryville was enjoyed by a fair sized crowd. The track was heavy and no very remarkable racing was seen.

A ripple of excitement was caused in the first race from the fact that Little Sister, owned by Graffort & Co. and ridden by Knapp, fell dead at the turn, just coming out of the backstretch. Knapp was not hurt and aside from a shaking up and a few scratches on his face, got off luckily. Little Sister began bleeding in the first part of the race and weakened by the loss of blood stumbled and fell and broke her neck. She was taken from the track dead. She was not considered a factor in the race.

The eight starters in the first race went to the post at 2:12 o'clock. Carrie W was ridden a good race by Bonner and taking the lead in the homestretch came in handily with two good lengths to spare. Amoruna was second. Rustic Girl, who was looked upon to take the race, could do no better than third. The time was 1:11¼. Argot, Penance, Egyptian Princess, Diver and Priestlike also ran. Penzance and Dora I were scratched.

Pickaway got away in the lead but could not hold it. Lansdown and Muresca fought it out in the homestretch and made a neck and neck finish, Lansdown winning. Knapp rode Muresca a good race. Lady Kent was third. The race was for six furlongs. Time, 1:16¼. Sol Lichtenstein, Flaneur, Sir Preston, Contestant and Pickaway also ran. Yellowstone was scratched.

The third race for five and a half furlongs was taken by Hoceo in 1:12¼. Hoceo won by a length. Box Elder came in second and Targette finished six lengths behind the winner, a bad third. Mendota pulled up well on the backstretch but could not make good. The Jew, Red Bird, Mendota, Hannah Van and County Down also ran.

There was a good start in the fourth race of a mile. This was the best ridden race of the day. Sue Johnson made a fool of herself at the post and Elfonse delayed matters with his nervousness. The field came into the homestretch almost in a line. Mr. Dingle, Outburst and Mr. Farnum pulled away from the bunch and had a battle royal to the wire. The race was won riding by Mr. Dingle with Buxton up. Outburst was a nose behind and Mr. Farnum was barely out out of a place. Time, 1:46¼. Billy Moore, Searcher, Sue Johnson, Isabellita and Elfonse also ran. Keynote, Flyer, Dandie Belle and Joe John were scratched.

In the fifth race, futurity course, the start was poor. Celebrant, at 3 to 5, took the lead but could not hold on. Red Cross Nurse, looked upon to land the first, could not land and Lord Wadsworth walked in a winner. The Lord was forced into the lead in the backstretch and was never headed and outran the field. Red Cross Nurse was second and Celebrant third. Solanous, Young Pepper and Sonfriere also ran. Ananias was scratched. The time was 1:18½.

The last race of a mile and a sixteenth was won by Veterano over Daisy Green and Chickadee was third. The start was good. O'Hagen was a bad one and though the favorite was fourth. Eshurin was not a good fifth and The Way a poor last. Prince Blazes was scratched. The time was 1:53.

SUMMARY.

First race, five and a half furlongs.
Cassie W. (Bonner), 6 to 1 .....1
Amoruna (Crosthwaite), 30 to 1.....2
Rustic Girl (Roach), 8 to 5.....3
Argot, Penance, Egyptian Princess, Pearl Diver and Priestlike also ran. Penzance and Dora I were scratched. Time, 1:11¼.

Second race, six furlongs.
Lansdowne (Roach), 13 to 5.....1
Muresca (Knapp), 11 to 2.....2
Lady Kent (Holbrook), 10 to 1.....3
Sol Lichtenstein, Flaneur, Sir Preston, Contestant and Pickaway also ran. Yellowstone scratched. Time, 1:16¼.

Third race, five and a half furlongs.
Horceo (J. Martin), 6 to 5.....1
Box Elder (W. Daly), 16 to 5.....2
Targette (Vanderbout), 5 to 1.....3
The Jew, Red Bird, Mendota, Hannah Van and County Down also ran. Time, 1:12¼.

Fourth race, one mile
Mr. Dingle (Buxton), 6 to 5.....1
Outburst (See), 12 to 1.....2
Mr. Farnum (Bonner), 12 to 1.....3
Billy Moore, Searcher, Sue Johnson, Isabellita and Elfonse also ran. Keynote, Flyer, Dandie Belle and Joe John scratched. Time, 1:46¼.

Fifth race, futurity course.
Lord Wadsworth (Travers), 15 to 1..1
Red Cross Nurse (Holbrook), 6 to 1..2
Celebrant (J. Daly), 3 to 5.....3
Solanus, Young Pepper and Soufriere also ran. Anonias was scratched. Time, 1:13½.

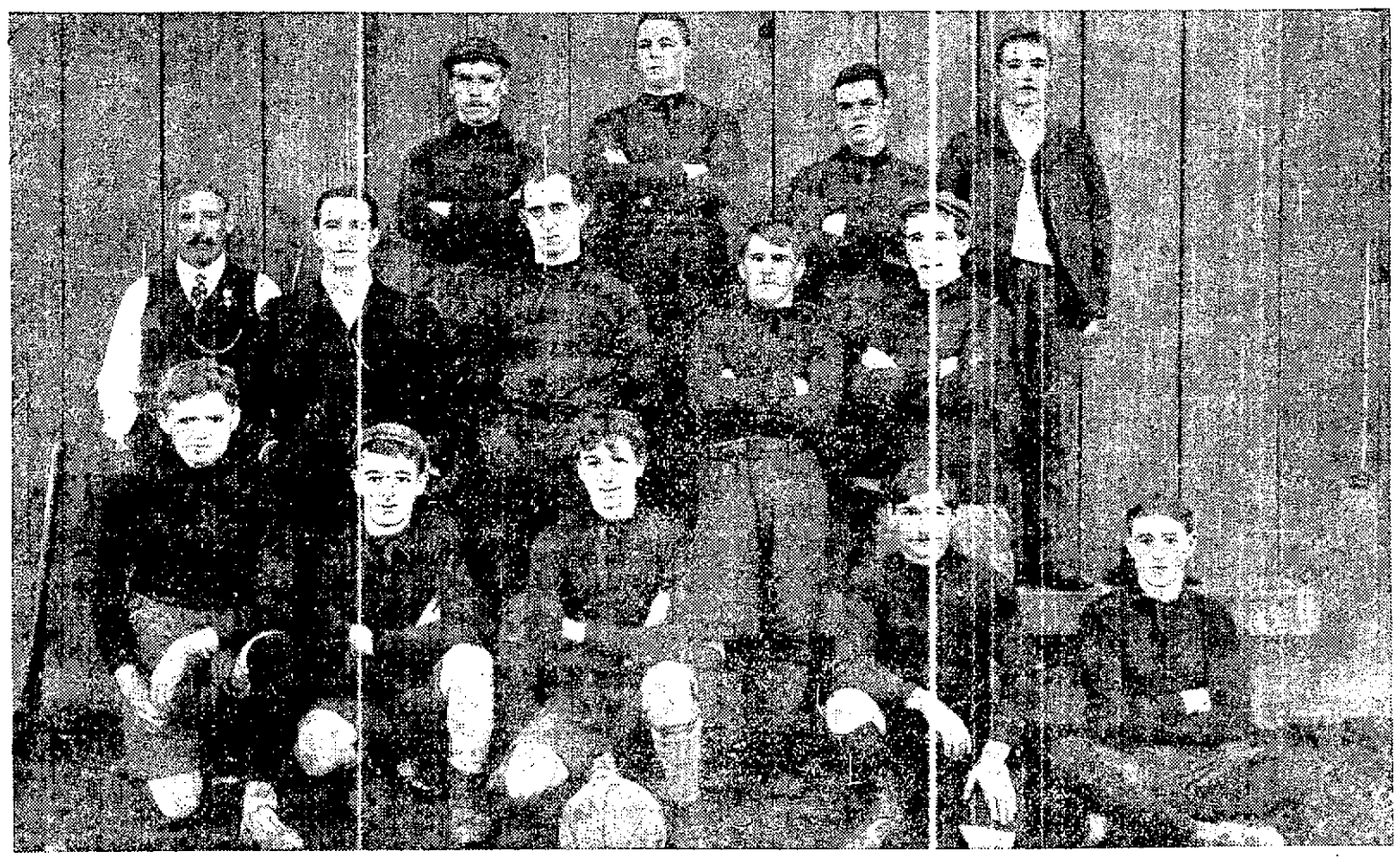
Sixth race, one mile and a sixteenth.
Veterano (J. Martin), 9 to 2.....1
Daisy Green (W. Daly), 10 to 1.....2
Chickadee (Bonner), 12 to 1.....3
O'Hagen, Esherin and The Way also ran. Prince Blazes scratched. Time, 1:53.

INSANE OVER RICHES.

MILWAUKEE, March 1.—A special to the Sentinel from Bessemer, Mich., says:

"James Colgate, laborer and millionaire of Hurley, has been taken to the Insane Hospital at Newberry. Until recently, Colgate, who is 20 years old, was a mine teamster. Then his grandfather, James Colgate, Sr., died in New Haven, Conn., and left him $1,000,000.

"Sudden riches turned the boy's brain and he may never recover sufficiently to enjoy his good fortune."



OCCIDENTAL ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL TEAM, SAN FRANCISCO.

Reading from left to right the names of the players are: Top row—Milne, Chivers, Roberts, Bowden. Second row—Casson (referee), Hayes, McCarthy, Lloyd, Higgens. First row—Lydon, Gracie, Holland (captain), Evans, Condon.

# WEATHER ADMITS PRACTICE.

TRACK ATHLETES ARE NOW TURNING OUT AT STATE UNIVERSITY.

BERKELEY, March 1.—Now that good weather has come again and the cinder path is getting into fairly good condition, over fifty track men of the State University are turning out daily for practice under the supervision of Trainer Walter Christie, who is devoting his whole time to the preparation of the men. Though handicapped by the great lack of good material, the Blue and Gold men are striving their hardest to turn out a team that will wrest the field day laurels from Stanford this year. The great trouble is that California has lost most of the best of last year's material and has not received any "phenoms" through the infusion of freshman blood.

In the place where California is weakest she has not been recruited at all. This is the 440-yard dash, where there is only "Greek" Howard to defend. Howard ran fourth in last year's intercollegiate meet. Dunn and Crossly, who ran first and second, respectively, in that trial, have been retained by Stanford.

California has been more fortunate in the sprints. In this department she has recruited four promising youngsters. Best of these perhaps is Hughes, who did such valiant work for the Oakland High School last year. Then there are Davis of Maryville and Bingham and Lippman of San Francisco, all of them freshmen who performed well in their academic days. Besides this material there will be Abadie, who has always been depended upon for the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes.

The half-mile is reasonably safe for California unless Stanford succeeds in developing some fast new man. There will be three of last year's men to defend in this event—Edwards, Newhall and Clifford—all of them stayers and fast for the distance. Then they will get assistance from two freshmen, Head and Wilcox, formerly of the Oakland High School.

For the mile there will be Newhall, Hackley and Clifford, and Tiechert, a freshman. Hackley has developed a good deal of speed lately.

Tibbets won the two-mile last year with ease, but there is some talk of his being in bad form just now. Tibbets is not sure how fit he will be, but is taking good care of himself and may go in. Lowell, a freshman, is the only new man training for the place. Hackley will probably go into this race too.

The University has been supplied with two good new men for the hurdles. They are Sperry of Modesto and Hume of Berkeley, both of whom carried off prizes while they were defending their respective schools in academic meets. The veterans are Frei, Chaplin and Meany, the last named being about the best.

For the high jump there will be Captain Cooley and Hickey, both veterans, with good chances of winning. Wilcox and Symmes will negotiate the pole vault, but as they were defeated handily by Dole of Stanford in the last meet they are not expected to win, as they will have the same competitor again. Claude Kern, captain of the freshman football team, is going in for the broad jump, as are also Chaplin, Neighbor and Snedigar, last year's men.

Zacharis, a freshman from the Modesto High School, is billed for the shot-put, and so are Sperry, Hosmer, Boynton, Hartline and Gilmore. These men will all try for the hammer-throw, too, Sperry and Zacharias being the best of them.

The first tract meet will be held next Saturday and will be the trials between the athletes of the freshman and sophomore classes.

This will be followed by the interclass meet on March 19, the meet with Pomona College on March 30, the meet with Stanford on April 16 and lastly with the University of Washington on the last day of April.

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# GAME FOR FIRST HONORS.

OAKLAND AND BERKELEY BASKETBALL TEAMS TO PLAY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

BERKELEY, March 1.—The basketball championship on this side of the bay will be decided at a game to be played next Friday night by teams representing the Oakland Young Men's Christian Association and the Berkeley High School. The meet will take place at 8:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. building at the corner of Mason and 12th streets in San Francisco.

It is expected that a large delegation will attend the game from this side of the bay.

The line-up of the Oakland team will be: Center, Hoek, captain; forwards, Hursh and Hurt; guards, Umphred and Caldwell.

The Berkeley High team will line up as follows: Center, Paul Dalton, captain; forwards, Francis White and Sally Segal; guards, Royal Miller and Max Stone.

"Moral courage," said the teacher, addressing the physical class, "makes one do what he thinks is right, regardless of the jeers of his companions. Now, Johnny, can you give us an illustration?"

"Y-e-s, ma'am," answered Johnny, "if a fellow has candy an' wants it all himself an' ain't afraid of th' other kids call'n' him stingy, that's moral courage."

# ST. MARY'S TO MEET 'VARSITY.

BERKELEY, March 1.—A practice game of baseball that has been postponed from day to day on account of the inclement weather will take place tomorrow afternoon when the University of California baseball nine will line up against the St. Mary's College team.

The game will be played on the University diamond which is fast drying out.

Captain Thomas P. Phelan of St. Mary's reports his team to be in splendid condition for a hard and fast game.

# KELLY AND WOODS MILL.

WILL MEET MARCH EIGHTH BEFORE SEQUOIA CLUB SPORT LOVERS.

The go between Cyclone Kelly and Billy Woods will be pulled off on March 8 at Dietz Opera House under the auspices of the Sequoia Athletic Club. The men will fight at 160 pounds and will weigh in at 8 o'clock on the night of the fight. This should furnish a good exhibition of the manly art as both men are looking for honors.

Billy Woods should give "Cyclone" Kelly a good battle. He is a hard proposition and is not one of the laying down kind.

"Cyclone" Kelly has made a good showing in the ring. His fight at Hot Springs when he met Tommy Ryan brought him into most favorable prominence among the sporting fraternity. Kelly is going to win and on his past record stands a good chance.

# RELIANCE CLUB LADIES' NIGHT.

Ladies' night will be observed at the Reliance Athletic Club about the middle of this month. Great preparations are being made for this event and nothing is being left undone that will make the affair a brilliant success.

Arthur Magill will have charge of all preparations and all will be done under his supervision. He has landed many successful local theatricals and is fully capable of being master of ceremonies. He is a hard working member of the Reliance Athletic Club and prominent also in Olympic Club circles.

Ladies' night will mark the first public appearance of the Reliance Orchestra, an organization under the direction of George Lehner, a well-known musician. He is well known in music circles and has directed several orchestras, both in this country and abroad.

The Reliance Athletic Club Ladies' Night, it is calculated, will be a good social event in club circles.

# FITZGERALD SOON COMING.

BOOKED TO MEET RUFE TURNER AT RELIANCE ATHLETIC CLUB ROOMS.

Last night George Mahoney of the Reliance Athletic Club telegraphed passage money to Willie Fitzgerald in New York, who has been matched with Rufe Turner. An early reply is expected.

The men will meet at 133 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock the night of the contest, at the Reliance Athletic Club. They will meet for a purse, 75 per cent going to the winner and 25 to the loser.

Turner is looked upon as a winner in this contest by many of his admirers, though they concede that Willie Fitzgerald will put up a strong game fight.

# LOHMAN'S MEN FOR HANFORD.

Pete Lohman and his colts left this morning at 9 o'clock for Hanford where they will go into training and practice for the coming season's games. They will stay twenty-four days at Hanford and will open their season at Los Angeles where they will probably remain a week.

The make-up of the team is: Pitchers, Schmidt, Moskiman, Graham, Buchanan and Whittredge; catchers, Pete Lohman (captain), and Boettinger; first base, Streib and Clancy; second base, Shafley; third base, Deverll; short, Franks; right field, Gannon; center field, Dunlevy; left field, Krueger.

# BERKELEY BEATS THE SLAVONIANS.

The Slavonians, those royal entertainers and good bowlers, piled up some high scores on the Palace Alleys Sunday night. They were out for practice. Klimovich made 224, 216 and 208; Jakobowski, 196, 210, 184; Ameriich 185, 208, 226; Dasnik 202, 188, 200; Novakovich 185, 174, 203; Motizarevich 185, 207, 196.

Last night on the Palace Alleys the Slavonians were down to play the Palace Club, but the latter club could not bowl on account of sickness of some of its members. The Berkeleys were substituted. The result was 31, 770, 788, a total of 2262 for the Berkeley bowlers. The Slavonians were not in form and made 668, 648, 840, a total of 2156. The Slavonians will roll a return match in Berkeley soon.

# WM. WALSH RETIRES FROM BUSINESS.

William Walsh, the well known enterprising grocer of West Oakland, who for a quarter of a century has conducted the Center street cash grocery store, has acquired a liberal competence and today retires from business life. He has worked well and earnestly and deserves the reward of rest and recreation which has come to him. He has not taken this step, however, without having disposed of his interests in the institution which is also known as the "Junction Store," at the intersection of Seventeenth, Peralta and Center streets. This interest is a valuable one, because it represents a business solidly founded, and goes to Mr. Walsh's reliable partners, O'Dea & Boyle, who have long been associated with him and who enjoy the appreciation of the patrons of the place equally well with the retiring member of the firm.

Mr. Walsh bespeaks the patronage of the house under its new management, knowing that his successors will be to his friends what he himself has been to them in the past. His retirement has not taken place without leaving the new firm so fitted out as to be able to sign liberal checks for any claim against the store.

# OAKLAND VISITED BY EARTHQUAKE.

Oakland was visited by an earthquake at 6:03 this morning. Professor Charles Burckhalter of the Chabot Observatory states that the general direction was northeast to southwest. The duration of the temblor was five seconds. No damage was done.

# "YOUNG CORBETT" WINS.

SULLIVAN, A GAME FIGHTER, COULD NOT DOWN CHAMPION.

Dave Sullivan was game but he met a better man, far better. After the third round he had no chance to win and Young Corbett simply played with him.

Corbett was Sullivan's master at every stage of the game. When the men scuffled around in long-drawn-out clinches, each trying to get the better of the other with short-arm blows, Corbett sent punishing smashes into Dave's stomach and ribs, and invariably was the first to land whenever they broke apart.

Sullivan was sent to the floor for the first time in the second round and it looked right then as if the contest was to be of short duration. Dave rested on his knees with his lips apart and a woe-begone appearance generally. He raised himself quickly when the timekeeper yelled "seven" and he dived at Corbett and clung to him desperately till the gong sounded to his relief.

He went to the mat again in the fourth and fifth round, but showed much nerve and true fighting pluck by coming back only to receive more fierce punishment from his master.

Young Corbett slowed up after the fifth round tired from landing so many blows when and where he pleased on his more slender opponent. Corbett tried to land right swings in the seventh but failed to connect. The eighth and ninth rounds were full of clinches and it kept Referee Graney busy in trying to break them apart.

Sullivan was weak and was groggy after the ninth as every blow Corbett landed told on him.

Sullivan was bowled over again in the tenth round and some of his friends cried "foul" because Corbett made a pass at him as he sank to his knees. If the blow landed at all it merely brushed Sullivan's face and in any case it was palable that Corbett had no intention of taking an unsportsmanlike advantage. Sullivan was in a bad way again at the close of this round.

It seemed as though Corbett crowded more action into the eleventh round than into all the others combined. He let fly with unerring aim and full-arm lefts and rights smashed into Sullivan's nose and mouth and against the sides of his face. Sullivan was beaten down under the ropes and he had a dying gladiator look as he rested on his elbow, with his lips bathed in blood and his eyes glazing. He stood up pluckily and became a mark for Corbett's fierce punches again. His arms dangled and he was helpless, but he was game to the core and refused to down. When all hope was lost so far as Sullivan's chances of winning were concerned Referee Graney jumped quickly between the men and stopped the contest. Just as he did so the sponge was thrown in from Sullivan's corner.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY IS REMEMBERED.

The California Safe Deposit and Trust Company filed a petition for a distribution of the estate of the late Jacob Heinsohn, which is valued at $12,018.40. According to the will the property is to be distributed as follows:

The Theosophical Society of San Francisco, the Deutsche Altenheim, in Fruitvale, and Sophie Brenner, each $2000 and one-fourth of the residue of the estate after the specific bequests are paid; Grete Elise Jacobine Stoltenberg, $1000 and one-fourth of the residue of the estate. A nephew and niece living in Germany are not mentioned in the will.

WIFE CHARGES BIGAMY.

An order was made by Judge Ogden today authorizing the taking of the depositions of Mrs. Katherine Maurer and Albert Maurer of Cattaraugus county, N. Y., whom Mrs. Alice C. Maurer of this city says are the legal wife and child of James M. Maurer, whom she is now suing for annulment of marriage, charging that he is a bigamist.

In her complaint the plaintiff states that she married Maurer about a year ago in Pennsylvania. Since then she has learned that he has a wife and grown son living in the State of New York. Maurer is at present in Los Angeles. Mrs. Maurer by the depositions of mother and son expects to prove her case.

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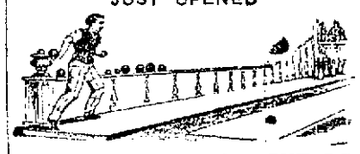

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# NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY

## EXPERT IS BACK FROM EAST.

### PROF. A. V. STUBENRAUCH DECIDES ON LOCATION OF HORTICULTURAL GARDENS.

BERKELEY, March 1.—After an absence of several weeks, during which time he succeeded in deciding on the establishment of a government seed and plant introduction garden and a date palm experiment station within the borders of the State, Professor Arnold V. Stubenrauch, superintendent of the agricultural experiment stations of the University of California, has returned from the East.

The site for the date garden is Mecca, a town at the end of the Coahuila valley, on the borders of the Colorado desert. A tract of fifteen acres has been donated by a land company and the use given of an artesian well on the premises.

Negotiations are now being closed to secure H. N. Johnson to act as the foreman of the station. He recently visited the home of the date palm on the Sahara desert in Africa, and has brought home some small plants for his own use. That he may have more material the government has sent him back to the desert again that palms covering at least five acres may be set out.

While the experimental gardens are to be located at Chico, the exact location has not been determined on. The final choice will be left to Professor Stubenrauch and F. H. Dorsett, the superintendent of the new station, who is now on his way from the East. The gardens will require at least fifty acres.

### RECORDER SUTTON BACK FROM EASTERN TRIP.

BERKELEY, March 1.—James Sutton, Recorder of the Faculties, has returned from a month's trip in the East. Mr. Sutton was present at the meeting of the Association of American Universities at New Haven and visited most of the larger institutions in the United States for the purpose of studying their methods of keeping University records.

### CHINESE FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, March 1.—Referring to the rumor that an American firm is contracting to transport Chinese laborers to South Africa, the Johannesburg correspondent of the Times says the Imperial Government has stipulated that the Chinese be conveyed to South Africa and that they be carried in British ships exclusively.

## MAY REPEAT COLLEGE PLAY AT STANFORD.

### Woman's Day Play, "The Jealous Wife", May Be Reproduced At Palo Alto.

BERKELEY, March 1.—In response to overtures made by the students at Stanford University, it is probable that "The Jealous Wife," the play given at the Macdonough Theatre in Oakland on Woman's Day, by student talent, will be reproduced at Palo Alto. The collegians who took part in the play are favorable to giving it again and the sentiment prevails here that the time and expense that was necessary to stage the play should not be thrown away on a single night stand. Despite the fact that the student thespians played to a large house nearly all the money accruing went to meet the expenses.

The members of the cast have been given many encomiums for the masterly way in which the play was presented. The dramatis personæ was:

Miss Tallulah Le Conte, J. J. O'Connell, R. H. Merrill, M. R. Daniels, Miss Isabel McReynolds, Frank Gillehen, Walter De Leon, A. C. Keane and Miss Edmarda Howard.

## NEW BANK ADDED TO LIST.

### ANOTHER FINANCIAL INSTITUTION COMMENCES BUSINESS IN SOUTH BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, March 1.—Another bank was added to the already high list of local financial institutions when the South Berkeley Bank was opened this morning in the India block. The final arrangements for the opening of the bank were made last night at a meeting of the directors.

J. L. Barker is the president of the new bank, Gad Aylwin, vice president and E. K. Cole, cashier. The directors are A. W. Naylor, J. L. Barber, Gad Aylwin, Fred Barker and W. H. Waste.

## JAPS ARE RAISING LARGE WAR FUND.

BERKELEY, March 1.—Many of the action interrupted . Japanese students of this city, inspired by the spirit of patriotism, have joined in with their brethern in Oakland in an endeavor to raise the sum of $10,000 to send to Tokio to add to the war fund.

The Houkokukai, the Japanese society of Oakland, has held a meeting and decided on a plan to collect this sum. Every member of the society—and there are nearly 200 of them—has signified a willingness to contribute, and it is thought that before many weeks have passed the amount in view will have been collected.

At the meeting of the society much patriotism and enthusiasm were manifested, and the more prominent of these at the gathering gave addresses explaining the issues of the war and reviewing the victories which their countrymen have scored over the Russians.

### THE SANTO DOMINGO WAR.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Indications are now that the Morales Government will win since the siege of the capital has been raised, says a Santo Domingo dispatch to the Herald. The Morales forces, however, met reverses at Guerra and San Pedro de Macoris.

General Zapata, of the revolutionists, has been caught at Navarrete and has been shot. The insurgents have requested aid and ammunition from Hayti, which is refused. They are now making a forced loan at Azua, levying upon foreign merchants for $200 and on sugar estates for $1000.

Americans are requesting that the training ship Hartford be sent there as the insurgents are destroying lives and property. They have even attacked the American consulate. Business has been paralyzed and telegraphic communication interrupted.

## SAVED HUNDREDS TO STATE.

### STUDENT LABORERS CLOSE THEIR DAY'S WORK WITH A GIGANTIC CELEBRATION.

BERKELEY, March 1.—An examination of the work done by the students of the University of California at their Labor Carnival yesterday shows that at least $1500 was saved to the State. A tabulated account of the work shows the amount of the work to have been:

Botany building to College avenue, 30 feet, $275; Hillegass tract, near bridge, 300 feet, $180; Hillegass tract, near Hearst hall, 400 feet, $300; Hillegass tract, near Bancroft way, 400 feet, $200; Physiological Laboratory road, 400 feet, $300; Philosophy building to library, 250 feet, $155; Faculty Club, 300 feet, $75; total, 2250 feet, $1575.

The day's work was celebrated in an enthusiastic manner last night at the Greek Theatre.

At 8 o'clock the lights were extinguished and pyrotechnics of all sorts blazed aloft. The band played and the students sang. The Freshmen rendered a parody on the Golden Bear, commencing, "O, have you seen our pile of wood?"

Speeches were made by Max Thelen, Dr. G. Reinhardt, Professor Clarence Cory and Professor James O'Neill. A telegram was read from President Wheeler, also one from Governor Pardee and Regent Reinstein.

The program of the evening contained stunts by Merrill and De Leon; imitation acrobatic feats by Duncan and Keane and Hopkins; the Glee Club rendered selections and everybody smoked free tobacco. The program cover was the work of F. Keane, '05.

The evening committee was composed of J. E. Roadhouse, '04; J. M. Levy, '04; Gus Keane, '05; S. Hawley, '05; H. L. Stoddard, '06; M. Newfield, '07.

### BERKELEY HIGH ALUMNI MEET SATURDAY NIGHT.

BERKELEY, March 1.—The Alumni Association of the Berkeley High School will hold a meeting at 8 o'clock Saturday evening in City Superintendent of Schools S. D. Waterman's office to make final arrangements for the reception and dance to be given to the Senior class of the high school and also to decide whether to hold a banquet or not.

## TALK OF A LABOR DAY AT HIGH SCHOOL.

### Preparatory Students Are Anxious to Build Tennis and Basket-ball Courts.

BERKELEY, March 1.—Such unqualified success attended the Student Labor Day of the State University that the boys of the Berkeley High School are talking of emulating the example of the college men and making some permanent improvement about the school building on Grove street.

If the idea of holding a Labor Carnival at the High School is carried out it is probable that tennis and basket-ball courts will be built on one of the lots adjacent to the school.

At the present time the basketball and tennis players of the school are compelled to seek practice courts away from the school.

Full consideration to the Labor Day will be given at a meeting to be held in the near future. Already the girls of the school have promised to furnish the lunch should the boys decide to build the courts.

## STANFORD TAKES HER PICK.

### CARDINAL DEBATERS CHOOSE AFFIRMATIVE SIDE OF INTERCOLLEGIATE QUESTION.

BERKELEY, March 1.—Stanford has selected the affirmative side of the question submitted by California for the intercollegiate debate. The question is, "Resolved, That in cities of over 40,000 inhabitants a system of municipal government concentrating executive and administrative powers in the Mayor should be adopted."

Note—The Mayor to have power to appoint and remove heads of departments, and the chief city officers, except the treasurer and controller; all subordinates to be appointed by the heads of departments under civil service rules. The power of the Mayor in conjunction with the heads of departments to include the purchase of materials and supplies, the construction and control of public works, the granting of licenses and franchises, subject to confirmation by the Council; and the making of estimates for the following fiscal year; said estimates not to be increased by the Council.

The Alhambra Theater has been secured for the debate which takes place on April 23d.

## REFUSE TO RAISE THE RATES.

ALAMEDA, March 1.—The City Trustees tonight refused to grant the request of David Morris, the local manager of the Contra Costa Water Company, that the corporation be given an increase in its Alameda rates, and passed an ordinance fixing the rates for water to private consumers and the municipality at the same as those now in force.

These rates are 30 cents for each 1000 gallons to the general public and 15 cents for each 1000 gallons used by the city for street sprinkling, schools, parks and sewer flushing. The minimum monthly bill for private consumers is $1, with a rental of $1 a month for each fire hydrant and sewer flushing tank.

The City Trustees that voted for the passage of the water rate ordinance were J. F. Forderer, S. E. Combs, W. M. Bowers and Dr. H. M. Pond. Trustee C. J. Hammond was absent because of illness.

In asking for an increase in the rates Manager Morris said:

"I am here to request that you give us a little raise, which I believe we are entitled to. We are going behind instead of increasing our profits and I think the city should pay us the same for its water as private consumers do. It would mean only about $3000 a year more to Alameda. The city would not feel the loss of that much and it would be a considerable gain to us. Our business is so small here that the company has no show."

President Forderer in replying to Morris said that all of the City Trustees were agreed that no raise should be made this year.

## WILL ESTABLISH CUSTOM.

### ALUMNI OF BERKELEY HIGH SCHOOL WILL VISIT ON CHARTER DAY.

BERKELEY, March 1.—The alumni of the Berkeley High School have decided to establish the new custom of visiting the Berkeley school in a body upon the date of Charter day at the University of California. Arrangements are now being made to visit the High School on March 23d.

The alumni will probably assemble in the auditorium of the school and carry out a program of speeches and music. Further arrangements for the establishment of the new customs will be made at a meeting of the alumni to be held in the office of Superintendent Water next Saturday night.

### NOTES OF A PERSONAL NATURE FROM BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, March 1.—Bernard Drescher was a recent visitor at his home in Sacramento. He was accompanied by John A. Brewer of Berkeley and Norton Wilcox of Oakland.

Miss Emilie Connelly has returned to her home in Sacramento after a visit with Miss Cornelia Loring of this city.

Miss Rebe Galvin of Sacramento has been initiated into the Alpha Beta Sigma sorority.

Benjamin Walker was a recent visitor at Sacramento.

### FELL BELOW AVERAGE.

NEW YORK, March 1.—The total authorized capitalization of new companies formed in the Eastern States during February with a capital of $1,000,000 or more, fell to an unusually low point—$53,700,000. The low water mark figure for a series of years was reached in November, 1903, when they were $58,100,000. Pennsylvania led in February with a total of $19,500,000.

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# HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

## A NON-ALCOHOLIC BREWERY.

### ELMHURST WILL GIVE EMPLOYMENT TO MANY PEOPLE.

ELMHURST, March 1.—Non-alcoholic ale and porter will soon be the chief product of Elmhurst. The new brewing plant will be conducted by Mrs. A. Bratel. The contract has been let and the order for the lumber placed with the Elmhurst Lumber Company. The new industry will be located at the corner of Sunnyside street and Bay View avenue. Mrs. Bratel expects to give employment to a large force of workmen when she gets to turning out the full capacity of the plant.

A ready sale is expected for the new beverage, as it has splendid health giving properties. Many dealers have assured Mrs. Bratel that the output will be easily consumed.

NEW MEAT MARKET.

Vincent Skowron will open a butcher shop this week in the Willows block. He will also erect a smokehouse in Elmhurst and will manufacture bacon and smoked sausages.

NEW RESIDENCE.

A. Larsen has placed an order for the lumber to build a new house on his ranch north of Elmhurst. The house will be modern in every detail.

MRS. DAVILA SICK.

Mrs. Manuel Davila is very sick at her home. The many friends of her family are anxious for her rapid recovery.

PERSONAL.

Tony Garcia is visiting with his sister, Mrs. M. D. Silva.

T. Wittenberger has been stopping for several days with his friend, J. Fomes.

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## KING'S DAUGHTERS BENEFIT.

### GAVE SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT LAST NIGHT AT LEWAR'S.

GOLDEN GATE, March 1.—Last night the King's Daughters met at the home of Mrs. Lewar, 1011 Sixtieth street, and held a benefit for the Methodist Church. The affair was a great success. The King's Daughters turned out in force and the evening was most profitable from both a social and financial standpoint.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

A grand St. Patrick's night entertainment for the benefit of St. Columbia's parish will be given on March 17th in Klinkner Hall, corner of Fifty-ninth street and San Pablo avenue. It will be open to the public. The admission will be twenty-five cents.

ON BALL GROUNDS.

The Boone High School boys were out on the diamond yesterday doing some fast practice. The boys are rounding into form and should show up well in their games.

REAL ESTATE MAN MOVES.

T. C. Landregan, who was formerly in the real estate business on Fifty-eighth street, will soon move to Sixty-third street and San Pablo avenue, where he will resume business.

TO OAKLAND.

The Parsons family has moved from Fifty-eighth street and Los Angeles to Seventh and West streets, Oakland.

KLINKNER MANSION.

The elegant home of the Klinkners is now nearly renovated and work of improvements will soon be completed. The Klinkners will probably occupy the residence in the latter part of this month.

## READY TO HOLD DEBATES TONIGHT.

BERKELEY, March 1.—"Resolved That in municipalities executive power should be lodged in the hands of the Mayor and his appointments should not require confirmation."

This will be the subject debated on this evening by the Senate at their regular meeting this evening at Stiles Hall. The affirmative will be upheld by Hugo Miller, '05, and D. Whitelaw, '07; the negative by J. L. Dobbins, '05 and J. L. Stewart, '07.

The Congress will meet this evening in room 19, North Hall. The subject will be:

"Resolved, That the separation of the sexes in the University is preferable to co-education."

The affirmative speakers will be L. D. Bishop, '05, H. Hagan, '06 and Albert Coogan, '06; the negative will be upheld by B. F. Hathaway, '04, C. L. Smith, '06; and Edward Blackman, '06.

## SURPRISE PARTY TENDERED.

### MISS GRACE MORAN OF SAN LEANDRO GUEST OF HONOR.

SAN LEANDRO, March 1.—A very delightful surprise party was tendered to Miss Grace Moran Friday evening by the Misses Jane Knaugh and Dora Morehouse, at the residence of Mrs. J. Knaugh, on Haywards avenue. The occasion celebrated the eighteenth birthday of Miss Moran.

Hundreds of little paper butterflies were hung from the ceiling of the parlors. The favors were hand-painted butterflies for each guest, containing an appropriate verse.

Games were the principal amusement of the evening. A drawing contest was held. The first prize was won by Harry Jones, while the consolation went to Miss Moran.

Those present were the Misses Dora Morehouse, Belle McCoy, Ann Larsen, Helena Hopper, Elizabeth Best, Hortense Bradley, Helen Carry, Mildred Hawes, Catherine Sturtevant, Jane Knaugh, Grace Moran, Katherine Blanchard, San Jose; Messrs. Charles Helms, Ray Butler, Eugene Sturtevant, Harris Jones, Wilfred Cooper, Leslie Allen, Arie McArdle, John Obermuller, Richard Wolzen, Haywards; Baker Blanchard, San Jose; Philip Langan and Frederick Hopper.

MALE QUARTET.

The male quartet sang for the first time Saturday evening at the Presbyterian Church.

STREET WORK.

Work was commenced Monday morning on Haywards avenue. The new grade will be from the bridge to Joaquin avenue. As the street is much higher near the bridge the ground will be cut away before the macadamizing is commenced. The E. B. and A. L. Stone Company are under contract to furnish seven hundred yards of crushed rock for the grading. A rock gutter will be constructed on both sides of the street.

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## CARNEGIE LIBRARY SECURED.

### TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS PROMISED TO HAYWARDS.

HAYWARDS, March 1.—At last the Ladies' Improvement Club of Haywards have heard from Andrew Carnegie and the town will have a $10,000 library. Mrs. P. Wilbert, president of the Improvement Club, received a letter from Mr. Carnegie late Saturday afternoon saying that he will give $10,000 for the building of a library as soon as the Town Board of Trustees pass an ordinance appropriating $1000 a year for its maintenance and select a site. The trustees will take action on the matter Wednesday evening at a special meeting.

About a year ago the Ladies' Improvement Club wrote to Mr. Carnegie, but owing to the fact that he was in Europe at the time the matter was postponed at the suggestion of the secretary representing the Scotch philanthropist. Six months later Mrs. P. Wilbert again addressed a letter to Mr. Carnegie with the hope that he had returned and could be interested in establishing one of his libraries in Haywards. The formal blank was received from the gentleman. The requirements necessary to establish a Carnegie library were filled in and the blank returned.

This last letter is in reply to the filled out blank, explaining the conditions under which the library fund would be given.

FIRE ELECTION.

The McCoy faction came to grief Saturday night at the election held by the volunteer fire department. Every Patterson man was elected.

The following men were elected: Chief, William Zambresky; assistant chief, Elmer Patterson; foreman, A. Riggs; first assistant foreman, F. Rayner; secretary, R. A. Kolze; treasurer, George Shilling; first horseman, George Hopson; second horseman, Albert La Cunna; third horseman, George Luce; sergeant-at-arms, Joe Gordill; trustees, George Grindell, Andrew Ramage and John Pain.

RESIGNS POSITION.

Robert A. Kolze, who has held the position of foreman for the Lyon's Brewery of Haywards during the last seven years, resigned his place Monday morning. Mr. Kolze intends going into business in San Francisco. His many friends in Haywards are sorry to lose so valuable a citizen.

MRS. PETRAY RETURNS.

Mrs. H. C. Petray has returned from her father's home above Stockton. Mrs. Petray reports that Principal Petray is much improved, after his long illness and will be able to take up his school work before long.

### EDWARD TO VISIT IRELAND.

NEW YORK, March 1.—It is stated that when the King and Queen go to Ireland in the spring they will pay a week end visit to the Duke and Duchess of Manchester at Kylemore, says a Herald dispatch from London.

Great preparations already have begun for the royal reception at this beautiful palace in Connemara.

### A MURDEROUS ATTACK.

CHICAGO, March 1.—Three robbers followed Patrick Burke, a coal dealer, from a restaurant to his office, attacked him and after a terrific struggle, in which a stove was overturned setting fire to the place, left him bound and gagged and unconscious with a fractured skull. They escaped with $100.

Burke, who is 60 years old, was almost suffocated by the smoke from the overturned stove before he recovered consciousness and broke his bonds. His condition is critical.

### MAY BECOME VICEROY.

NEW YORK, March 1.—There is now much more likelihood of the Duke of Marlborough becoming Viceroy of Ireland than heretofore, cables the London correspondent of the Herald.

Lord Dudley shortly will be obliged to give up the Lord Lieutenancy owing to the precarious state of the health of Lady Dudley, and it is generally believed that the Duke of Marlborough will succeed in the post.

### JAPS WILL SINK SHIP.

NEW YORK, March 1.—The position of the Russian gunboat Mandjur is unchanged says a Shanghai dispatch to the American.

The Chinese report that the Japanese Minister at Peking threatened that if the boat were not disarmed a Japanese cruiser will enter the port and sink her.

Life's Change.

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## BOARD DOES MUCH WORK.

### MANY PETITIONS RECEIVED BY THE TOWN TRUSTEES OF EMERYVILLE.

EMERYVILLE, March 1.—There was a full meeting of the Board of Trustees last night and much work was considered.

The Board was instructed to give notice to the Oakland Transit Company that their poles, which were considered to be too far out on San Pablo avenue, must be moved back. The poles have delayed traffic and the improvement is considered a good one.

The regular monthly bills were allowed.

J. Barber was granted a free license to conduct a peanut stand near the depot.

A petition was received from Thomas O'Leary for a saloon license. It was referred to a committee.

The Western Union Telegraph Company made application to erect poles along Adeline street. The petition was referred to the engineer.

It was decided not to macadamize Horton avenue.

A petition was also received and read signed by many citizens to open Forty-seventh street into Adeline street. Referred to committee.

The question of water rates was deferred.

TO SELL HOTEL.

Mrs. A. J. Hastings is offering Hotel Hastings for sale. She is from Boston. The hotel is a good sized one, situated near the foot of Park avenue and contains twenty-six rooms. The price wanted is $3500.

CHICKENS.

The S. P. flier that dashes through Emeryville station at such terrific speed has not done so well in the chicken killing line the past week. But one fowl met death. Chicken owners and raisers in the vicinity, it is said, are talking of sending in a petition to the railroad company asking them to slow down when making the crossing at Park avenue. It is a dangerous place and it is hoped that the company will do their best to amend the nuisance.

### ADMIRALS DON'T VISIT.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Admirals Douglass and Fawkes, in command of the British North American and cruiser squadrons, have not visited President Castro, although the fleet of warships have been here some time, cables the Herald's correspondent at La Guayra, Venezuela. The dispatch adds that their failure to do so is supposed to be due to a statement attributed to President Castro that he would in no case return a visit from the Admirals.

### DOWIE IN TROUBLE.

NEW YORK, March 1.—John Alexander Dowie of Zion City, Ill., has appealed to the American Consul for protection, according to an American dispatch from Melbourne. When the mob broke up his meeting Sunday he is said to have hidden three hours in the organ loft. Hereafter his meetings will be held behind locked doors.

## AH-WA-NEEH TRIBE TO ENTERTAIN.

### APRIL NINTH SET FOR GRAND BALL AT FRUITVALE.

FRUITVALE, Mar. 1.—The Ah Wah Nee Tribe of Fruitvale are planning to give a masquerade ball. The dance will take place April 9 in Thomas Hall on Fourteenth street, corner of Twenty-third avenue.

The affair promises to be one of the most successful entertainments of the season in lodge circles. The hall will be decorated to represent a wigwam as near as possible. One feature of the decorations will be a large "fire brand" that will occupy the center of the room. The members of the Ah Wah Nee Tribe will be dressed as North American Indians.

The tribe are giving the masquerade ball in honor of their victory in the late competitive drill against the Pawnee tribe of Alameda. At that drill the tribe made ninety-eight per cent out of a possible hundred and were awarded the loving cup which was given by Great Sachem Samuels of San Francisco. Many handsome prizes will be awarded. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

The following members of the tribe have been appointed as the committee of arrangements: John Bridge, F. L. Jordan, W. B. Finley, J. L. Shields and F. Lockwood.

BASEBALL GAME.

Although the score was not evenly balanced the Royal baseball team of the Lower Fruitvale School played an interesting game of ball Saturday with George Dewey School of here.

The score was fourteen to four.

The Royals line-up was as follows: Owen Manor, pitcher; Lester Manning, catcher; F. Vogel, first base; J. Wernum, second base; Leslie Bradley, third base; Letcher Albright, short stop; H. Angus, right field; E. Lamp, center base and Allan McCosty, center field.

The youngsters are anxious to meet any nine around the bay not over thirteen years old.

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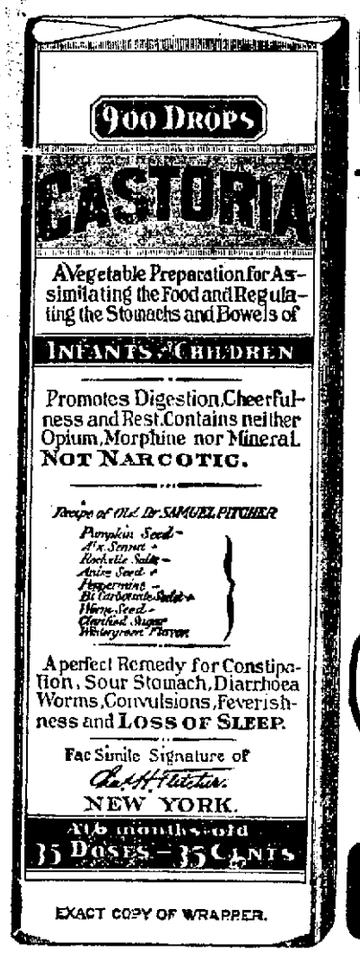


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# LIVERMORE HORSE SHOW.

## OWNERS FROM VARIOUS PARTS TO EXHIBIT FINEST ANIMALS.

LIVERMORE, March 1.—Arrangements are nearly completed for the horse show to be held next Saturday and from present indications it will be highly successful. The horsemen from this vicinity who attended the show in Haywards last Saturday state that several of the leading horsemen who exhibited their stock in Haywards would also be in Livermore and there is hardly a doubt but a large number of owners from the San Joaquin Valley will make their usual appearance as in former years.

### COMING ELECTION.

The municipal political plot is already beginning to simmer in anticipation of the coming town election which will be held on Monday, April 11. The principal offices to be filled are three trustees. The marshalship and a town clerk.

The outgoing trustes are Mathiesen, Kennedy and Meyers. Trustees Mathiesen is filling the unexpired term of office of Max Beehon who resigned about a year ago. Two trustees are to be elected for the four-year term and one for the still unexpired two-year term.

It is rumored that Trustee Meyer will not be again a candidate. Trustee Mathiesen has not yet announced his candidacy but those who know him well think he can be prevailed upon to remain a member of the board. Should he accede to the wishes of his friends there is hardly a doubt as to his election.

Trustee Kennedy will probably desire to succeed himself and it is rumored that D. F. Bernal will also be in the field when the proper time arrives.

There are several other candidates spoken of and from the general lining up of the forces the next few days may develop that there will be no lack of material possessed with the proper ambition to guide the destinies of the municipality for the next four years.

An effort is being made to dig up a candidate with the necessary amount of grit and vote-getting ability to give the preesnt Marshal D. A. Smith a run for his money. So far the proper man has not yet been uncovered; but Jack Merchant says he knows a man with the requisite amount of understanding to exactly fill Smith's shoes and should he get the nomination it would be only necessary to count the votes to discover that Marshal Smith is not entirely invincible. Nevertheless old Sleuth Smith is not loosing any sleep over the coming fight and there is hardly any necessity for him to do so.

It is presumed that the present incumbent town clerk, Wright, will have no opposition in succeeding himself. It was rumored some time ago that Theodore Gorner would be a candidate but the rumor so far lacks confirmation consequently Wright seems to have a smooth path ahead of him.

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The late Mme. de Maupassant left a considerable sum to the Societe des Gens de Lettres of Paris, the interest of which is to be spent in keeping perpetually in repair the tomb of Guy de Maupassant, her son, in the Montparnassus cemetery.

# DATA NEEDED FOR FIXING WATER RATES.

## Engineer Adams Explains Details of Introducing Proposed System of Meters.

The Committee of the Whole of the Council met last night with Councilman Pendleton in the chair.

Arthur L. Adams, representing the Contra Costa Water Company, stated that F. M. Hewson, civil engineer, had prepared answers to the questions asked of that company at the last meeting by Councilman Dornin.

### QUESTIONS.

It was decided that the answers would be filed with the City Clerk. The questions propounded are as follows:

"During the litigation the Water Company claimed that both San Leandro Lake and Alvarado pumping plant were necessary to supply Oakland, did they not?

"Did they claim that San Leandro Lake was inadequate to supply Oakland?

"Did the company claim that San Leandro Lake was inadequate?

"At that time, how much water was being used by Oakland per day (24 hours).

"How much was used by Oakland alone in 1903?

"How many sources of supply are in actual use supplying Oakland proper with water?

"Name them?

"Is water from San Leandro Lake distributed in any other places than Oakland proper?

"What places?

"Is water from Alvarado wells furnished to any other consumer than Oakland proper?

"State where?

"Is water from Temescal furnished to any other consumer than Oakland proper?

"State where?

"Give total amount of water (in gallons) furnished from San Leandro Lake in the year 1903.

"Apportioned as follows: Gals.
"To Oakland proper ..... "
"To Oakland suburbs ..... "
"To Alameda ..... "
"To Berkeley ..... "
"To San Leandro ..... "

"Give total amount of water (in gallons) furnished from Alvarado wells in the year 1903.

"Apportioned as follows: Gals.
"To Oakland proper ..... "
"To Oakland suburbs ..... "
"To Alameda ..... "
"To Berkeley ..... "

"Give total amount of water (in gallons) from Lake Temescal in 1903.

"Apportioned as follows: Gals.
"To Oakland direct ..... "
"To Berkeley direct ..... "
"To Oakland via Claremont ..... "
"To Berkeley via Claremont ..... "

"Was Oakland metered in the year 1900?

"How much water was supplied to Oakland during that year?

"What was the daily per capita consumption that year?

"What proportion of the city was under metered system in 1903?

"What was the daily per capita consumption in 1903?

"Was the difference due to the introduction of meters?

"Is Alameda metered?

"What is the per capita consumption?

"Is Berkeley metered?

"What is the per capita consumption?

"What is the present daily average consumption of water in Oakland?

"What would it be reduced to if the city was placed on a meter basis?"

### ANSWERS.

The answers are as follows:

"1. Yes, under the method of supplying by flat rates, which has always prevailed in Oakland.

"2 and 3. Answered by No. 1.

"4. Using basis of ⅞ of total amount of water supplied to Oakland division as consumption in Oakland proper—10,896,000 gallons.

"5. Taking same basis—9,584,000 gallons.

6. Five sources.

"7. San Leandro Lake, Alvarado wells, Sausal creek, Piedmont tunnels and Temescal Lake.

"8. Yes.

"9. Suburbs of Oakland, San Leandro, Berkeley and Emeryville.

"10. Yes.

"11. Towns of Alvarado and San Lorenzo, suburbs of Oakland, South Berkeley and Emeryville.

"12 Yes.

"13. Berkeley.

"14. 2,729,052,000 gallons.

"15. To Oakland proper, taking above basis of ⅞—2,387,921,000 gallons. Oakland suburbs, Emeryville, Berkeley and San Leandro—341,131,000 gallons.

"16. 1,216,764,000 gallons.

"17. To Oakland proper, taking ⅞—1,064,669,000 gallons. To Oakland suburbs, Emeryville and Berkeley—152,095,000 gallons. To Alameda—284,4[illegible]3,000 gallons.

"18. 191,930,000 gallons.

"19. To Oakland, taking ⅞—[illegible]67,912,000 gallons. To Berkeley—23,987,000 gallons.

"20. To the extent of 3½ per cent of active services (or 694 meters).

"21. Taking ⅞—3,844,050,000 gallons.

"22. From 150 to 165 gallons per capita.

"25. Almost entirely.

"26. Yes.

"27—Taking 5 persons per tap—45 gallons per capita.

"28. Yes.

"29. Taking 5 persons per tap—60 gallons per capita.

"30. 9½ millions of gallons."

### ADAMS QUERIED.

Mr. Adams was asked a number of questions by Mr. Cuvellier. In Lake Chabot, Adams replied, there were 400 acres of submerged land. As to the dredging of the lake, Mr. Cuvellier said that the life of the dam could be extended more than eighty years if a dredging could be accomplished. Mr. Adams said that dredging was not a physical impossibility. It would be cheaper, however, to raise the dam as a means of overcoming the sedimentation of the lake.

### USE OF METERS.

Mr. Adams said that there was no available means of answering the last question. He declared, however, that it might be got down to 90 gallons. It might be more and it might be less. He stated, however, that he would file with the Council a document which might give some light on the subject. He then read a report which he had made to the president of the Contra Costa Water Company on the effect of serving water to all the people of this city by means of meters, which was sent to the Council last night by President Dingee of the Contra Costa Water Company.

The report was as follows:

"The people of Oakland division have always used water under the flat rate schedule, as still do 95 per cent of the water consumers of the United States, which means that they are wholly unaccustomed to exercising any economy or preventive measures. On January 1, 1903, there were but 500 taps through which it was sold by meter and these are chiefly for commercial and public uses, while 15,337 taps supplied water under a flat rate schedule. Of these latter 3307 were restricted as to excessive waste by means of check meters, which were introduced throughout 1902.

"The average consumer is intensely hostile to the introduction of a meter, because it means a curtailment of his freedom of use, the abandonment of standing lawn sprinklers and the substitution of hand methods, the necessity of constant vigilance as to the condition of his plumbing, or the alternative of tremendous water bills.

### RESTRICTIVE MEASURES.

"Even the exceedingly moderate restrictive measure represented by the check meter was so vigorously opposed by consumers as to render its complete enforcement under the prevailing condition of the public mind in Oakland almost impossible.

### REDUCED COST TO CONSUMERS.

"If the introduction of meters were required by the present Council and acceded to by the Water Company, it would be favored only by those consumers who could thereby effect a substantial reduction of their water rates. To make such a move popular, therefore, a large majority of all consumers must secure their water at a reduced cost to themselves. This phase of the matter will come up again under the head of the 'effect upon rates,' etc.

"It may be argued that the public will favor a meter system because it secures a more equitable distribution of the charges; but this will be found no consolation to the average man who finds his bills increased.

"Again, in dealing with the public, always sensitive in the matter of public utilities, and particularly so in Oakland concerning water rates, the exact equalization of water in proportion to use or waste is of far less practical importance to both public and this company than the turmoil and strife incident to constant readjustment.

### INEQUALITIES.

"Even an unfair and partial schedule is far better continued in force for a period of years than to resort to radical annual readjustments in an effort to eliminate inequalities.

### EFFECT ON THE CONSUMPTION.

"In 1901 the average daily per capita consumption in the Oakland division, assuming 5 persons to one active service, was 17 gallons. Through repression of waste by systematic house-to-house inspection and the introduction of 3307 check or restrictive meters during the following year, the corresponding per capita consumption in 1902 was 138 gallons. In Alameda, where water has, for ten or twelve years, been sold exclusively by meter, the average per capita consumption on the same assumption of 5 persons to one active cap, in 1902 was 43.6 gallons. In Berkeley, where water has also been sold exclusively by meter for some years, the consumption is 45 gallons per capita. But neither of these latter places has any large commercial uses of water, the consumption being almost entirely domestic in character. The effect of introducing sale by meter only would be to reduce the present rate of use. To what amount it would fall it is wholly impossible to say. It would undoubtedly never reach that prevailing in Alameda and Berkeley.

### IN OTHER PLACES.

"Some light may be gained from the experience of other places, as ascertained by George I. Bailey, Esq., superintendent of the Bureau of Water of Troy, N. Y., in a special investigation made in 1901, which is the latest data available. Data thus gathered must, however, be very cautiously used. It applies to other geographical locations and is seldom very exact. The following embraces all the cities mentioned having 75 per cent or more of their water service metered:

| Names. | Percentage Metered. | Taps | Average Per Cap. Daily Consumption. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Atlanta, Ga | 92 | | 84 |
| Atlantic City, N. J. | 78 | | 80 |
| Brockton, Mass | 82 | | 32 |
| Covington, Ky | 78 | | 58 |
| Fall River, Mass | 94 | | 36 |
| Lexington, Ky | 99 | | 47 |
| Newton, Mass | 86 | | 64 |
| Pawtucket, R. I | 77 | | 82 |
| Providence, R. I | 83 | | 64 |
| Utica, N. Y | 97 | | 53 |
| Woonsocket, R. I. | 91 | | 29 |
| Worcester, Mass | 94 | | 70 |
| Yonkers, N. Y | 98 | | 81 |

### EFFECT UPON RATES, REVENUES, ETC.

"Under the provisions of the California law the Water Company is entitled to receive such an amount of revenue as shall constitute a fair net return upon the value of the property, in addition to the expense of its taxation, operation and maintenance.

"The gross earnings of the Oakland division in 1902 were about $600,000. The total amount of water delivered into the pipes was 3,903,000,000 gallons, or an average per day of 10,694,000 gallons. The gross revenue received per 1000 gallons of water delivered was, therefore, 15.37c. 870.

"This is a very moderate price for water, but it is based upon a daily per capita consumption of 138 gallons. The immediate effect of selling exclusively by meter would be to greatly reduce the consumption. If, therefore, the revenue is to be preserved undiminished, the cost per 1000 gallons to the consumer must be proportionately increased.

### PRESERVE GROSS REVENUE.

"The following schedule will show the amount of money per 1000 gallons delivered into the pipes necessary for the company to receive, to preserve its gross revenue at $600,000 per annum:

"If the daily per capita consumption is 100 gallons, the company must receive per 1,000 gallons, 21.16c.

"75 gallons, 34.4c.
"60 gallons, 35.2c.
"50 gallons, 42.3c.
"40 gallons, 53.0c.

"In determining what meter rate will yield the revenue, it is necessary to increase the before-mentioned price by fully one-third to allow for the difference between the amount of water delivered into the pipes and that indicated by the meter registration. In Alameda, this difference is exactly one-third, although it is in other places frequently more. If, therefore:

"The amount delivered per capita per day is 100 gallons, the price received per 1000 gallons on the meter registration must be 28.2c.

"75 gallons, 344.4c.

expense so long as its water supplies are adequate to supply the demand?

### EXPENSE OF ALVARADO PLANT.

"If the Alvarado pumping plant were entirely shut down, the saving per annum would be about $12,000, against which would be the interest and wear and tear, charges of, say, at least $150,000 additional investment in meters, or, say, $15,000 per annum, an amount $3000 in excess of the cost of operating the Alvarado pumping plant.

"All this is argument, not against the ultimate introduction of meters, but against their introduction any faster than is necessary to keep the consumption well within the company's present supplies.

### SAFE TRANSITION.

"The only safe and I may say practicable method of effecting transition to the meter method is:

"1. To continue for the present the flat schedule of rates.

"2. For the company to restrict such
"60 gallons, 47.0c.
"50 gallons, 56.5c.
"40 gallons, 70.6c.

### CURTAIL USE OF WATER.

"As meter rates usually go, these rates would seem exceedingly high should the average per capita daily consumption fall to, say, 50 or 60 gallons. The immediate result would be that a great many small consumers would, for the sake of reducing bills to a minimum, curtail their use of water to the point of unsanitation, thereby cutting off largely from the Water Company's revenue, while the larger and freer users of water, because of greatly increased bills, would discontinue its use entirely whenever possible and resort to wells, thereby still further reducing the Water Company's revenue.

### USUAL COMPROMISE.

"The imposing of a suitable minimum charge regardless of how little water was actually consumed is the usual compromise with the flat rate method of charging when introducing the meter system, and this would to some uncertain extent remedy the difficulties just pointed out, but would not alter the fact that the only consumers who would be pleased by the change would be those who could thereby effect a reduction of their bills, and the company would suffer additional large losses by desertion of those whose bills would be increased.

"By granting, for the sake of argument, that a practicable method of adjusting charges under a meter system can be devised without reduction of revenues, what immediate advantage would result to the company by way of reduced abuse or waste by the extension of the use of the waste prevention or check meter as fast as may be necessary to keep the consumption well within the ability of the present works to supply.

"3. By the growth in population and no corresponding increase in the Water Company's investment, in the course of a few years, a time should be reached when a gradual reduction in the present rate would admit of readjustment without seriously increasing the charges against any one class of consumers. Such a time is propitious for the introduction of meters.

"This solution was worked out a year or two ago, and the present ordinance provision permitting the introduction of check meters was based upon it."

Mr. Adams, after reading the argument, was questioned by several Councilmen on various kindred subjects.

Dornin—How much of the town is now metered?

Adams—About 25 per cent.

Dornin—I presume you put on meters where there was the most waste.

Adams—No, not exactly. It would not do to meter one man's house and neglect his neighbor's.

Aitken—How long is the life of a meter?

Adams—With the improvement latterly made the meter will last fifteen or twenty years.

Wallace—In Berkeley the water rate is 35 cents. In Alameda it is 30 cents. In Oakland it is 44 cents. How do you account for this variance?

Adams—It depends on the amount of money which is invested in the Oakland water plant. Alameda has the lowest rate it will ever know. From now on its plant will grow gradually more expensive, and the cost of water will be naturally increased.

Dornin—Is there any way in which we can get the number of square yards of lawns, number of water taps, number of baths and other data which we could use in establishing a flat rate?

Adams—Yes. I believe that there is data for the first year that I came here. It is a very difficult task to obtain that, however. If it were to be brought up to date it would involve much labor.

Dornin—You consider it vital, do you not?

Adams—It is the only way to establish a flat rate.

It was then decided that the Contra Costa Water Company be requested to supply the information relative to the lawn area in the city and other things relative to water consumptian.

The Policy of this Store has not changed. The usual courtesies of GREEN TRADING STAMPS with every purchase will continue.

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$6.40—Reclining back and reed varnished, with rubber tire, extension seat and parasol top.

## A Special Shipment of newest Style Garments for Women is Shown.

WE have been very fortunate in securing our new Spring stock early in the season and are able therefore to give you the very best selection at some remarkably low prices. A particularly beautiful and appropriate display has been prepared.

Sample line of

**Jackets**

200 beautiful high-class Parisian sample Jackets, made of English Whipcord and Wrombo Covert. Elegantly tailored with new long Tuxedo lapels, lined with plain or fancy silks. The latest novelty in sleeve effects. The styles are exclusive. We are selling them at almost ONE-HALF their regular prices.

**Suits**

$13.95—50 beautifully tailored suits of all wool Cheviot, very prettily trimmed in military effects. Jackets are all silk lined and have the latest style sleeves. They come in blues, browns and blacks. Worth regularly $22.50.

$19.75—Some splendid values in women's extra size suits; amongst them a handsome Lymansville Cheviot, black, neatly tailored. Jacket all silk lined and has letest style sleeves. Sizes 42 up to 50 bust measure. Regular $25.00 suits. We will make it a special feature this season of carrying extra sizes in tailored suits.

**Silk Petticoats**

$5.95, $7.45 and $8.45—This lot comprises about 300 silk skirts in a great variety of colors, pale, medium and dark blues, rose, champaghe, red, greens, changeable shades, also blacks and whites. All are neatly tailored and finished with ruffles and dust ruffles. Real values, $7.50, $10.00 and $12.50.

## A Grand Showing of Advance Colors and Materials in Dress Goods and Silks

WHEN our new Spring stock is completed it will be the greatest of its kind in this city. There are already sample lines of everything bought so that the very best bargains are to be had right now.

**Dress Goods**

43c a yard—Corded Veiling, a Spring material for street or evening wear. Colors, navy, gray, pink, sky blue, cream and black.

38c to $1.50 a yard—Black Mohair, arrival of Spring Alpaca places us in position to deliver better values in this popular black material than ever before. All widths and weights. One-fourth less than regular price.

$1.00 a yard—Fancy Suitings in light weights; mixtures are shades of tan, gray, red, green and brown overshot by white nubs, making a very swell Spring material.

85c a yard—52-inch all-wool Sangller, an ever-ready fabric for hard wear. Heavy in effect, but light in texture. Usually sells for $1.25 a yard.

**Silks**

65c a yard—19-inch Louisine Silk; gray and white stripes, narrow and medium widths. These silks will be much in evidence this Spring for shirt waist suits.

75c a yard—23-inch guaranteed Black Peau de Sole, a regular $1.00 quality, which we are selling at regular cost price. A large purchase permits this reduction. A splendid weight for waists and skirts.

## Big Values in New Wash Goods

EVERYBODY has been waiting for the arrival of these new goods and now that they are here and are greater values than we anticipated there will undoubtedly be much buying. Don't postpone this opportunity for goods that cannot be equaled in style and price.

10c a yard—New Cashmere Waistings.
8 1-3c a yard—Sheer dress Lawns.
12½c a yard—Figured Dotted Swisses.
19c a yard—New Spring Etamines.
12½c a yard—Zephyr Ginghams.
25c a yard—Satin Foulards.
25c a yard—Silk Ginghams.
50c a yard—Embroidered Pongees.

## Fancy Goods That Are in Demand

THIS is a sale of several very desirable lines of fancy goods at reduced prices. In conjunction with this sale we are selling some veils that have just been unpacked. There never was anything prettier than these.

**Veils**

85c and $1.00 each—Newest Spring Veils; pretty effects in chiffon. 1½ yard long.

50c each—A large and complete assortment of Tuxedo Veils; new chenille dot effects. Comes in black and colors.

**Ribbons**

15c a yard—Satin taffeta all silk ribbon, in all the newest shades, No. 40. Regular 25c value.

20c a yard—No. 60, satin taffeta ribbon, in the latest colorings. Worth 35c a yard.

**Ribbon Bows**

55c each—Fifth avenue ribbon bows for the neck in all colors with new lace top collars. Worth $1.00.

20c each—All colors and styles in ribbon hair bows. 35c value.

## Fine Footwear

MEN, women and children can be supplied with the most serviceable and stylish shoes at little cost in this popular department.

$2.50 — Good serviceable shoes for men; Vici kid or box calf, lace, heavy extension soles and London toes. All sizes and widths in latest styles.

$1.00—Misses' fine footwear; Vici kid, lace, coin toes, spring heels, medium soles and kid tips. Sizes 12 to 5. These shoes have been reduced from $2.00.

$1.50 — Strong school shoes for boys. Heavy satin calf, good extension soles, solid sole leather counters and insoles; sizes 2½ to 6. This is an exceptionally good value.

## Hosiery Specials

SOME new designs and colors prevail in this season's hosiery stock. We have them; and in large quantities at the right prices.

25c a pair — Women's French lisle; newest lace effects in 20 different designs.

12½c a pair — Women's mace cotton hose; double heels, toes and soles; Celebrated Utopia black. Special.

12½c a pair—Boys' bicycle rib; double knees, heels and toes. Guaranteed fast black. Made especially for hard wear. Worth 20c a pair.

## Drug Sundries

ALL the requirements of the toilet are to be found here.

15c and 45c—Murray & Lauman's Florida Water; worth 15c and 75.

20c a pint—Best Witch Hazel.

65c bottle—Listerine; regular $1.00 value.

30c and 40c — Mission Olive Cream.

15c—Violet Talcum Powder.

40c and 80c—Pinauds Eau de Quinine; regular 50c and $1.00.

## Kitchen Utensils

JUST look at these articles and the special prices marked and decide if such a chance should be missed.

25c—Royal steel enameled 10-inch Colander; worth 35c.

68c—6-quart Soup Pot; royal steel enameled ware. Two handles.

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FOR SALE—Cheap; new modern 8 room house and barn; lot 40x124. Call and see at 337 35th st. s

THREE houses, one six and two eight-room houses, not quite completed, on north side of 30th bet. Grove and West sts., for sale cheap. Apply 1056 Broadway. J. CONANT, rms. 11 and 12. s

## SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

MIDDLE-AGED lady would like housework in small family where lady would assist; no washing. Address Mrs. Baddington, 504 Park ave., East Oakland. h

COMPETENT woman wants position for chamber or second work; good reference. Address St. Nichols House, 8th near Broadway. h

WOMAN wishes situation at family housework. Box 1188, Tribune. h

WANTED—A first class pants finisher. Apply at 533 Kearny st., room 5, San Francisco. h

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Fine new and modern house of 5 rooms and bath. Large lot and plenty of sun. House well built and conveniently arranged. Plumbing, fixtures, etc., the very finest. This property is near 21st st. and New Broadway. Let us show this to you before you buy your new home. Terms at office.

$6850

Will buy one of the finest homes in the city. Situated on the north side of a new street close in; 6 minutes' walk to 14th and Broadway. Easy terms if desired. Particulars at our office.

$7500

Fine modern home on Filbert st., near 14th. Lot 50x150; on west side of the street. House has 10 large rooms and bath and is most conveniently arranged for a large family. See us about this; it's a good buy.

$5800

For a fine new home of 8 rooms and bath. High basement and all modern conveniences. On Alleen street near Telegraph ave. In fine section and must be sold.

$4650

New home in East Oakland; large lot 45x150, with plenty of sun. This home has 7 large rooms and bath and is finished in the best manner. Very easy terms can be made.

$4150

Pretty new home on Grove street near 35th. Contains 7 large rooms, with bath. Situated on good sized lot. Well built and conveniently arranged. Terms if desired.

$3600

Nice new house of 8 rooms and bath; north side of fine street in Piedmont district and ½ block from cars. $500 down and the balance in easy monthly payments. See us about this.

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FINE new income property, thoroughly up to date in every feature of construction; on sunny corner close to tenants; close to school; five minutes' walk from City Hall; $2250 per annum. Box 1183, Tribune. u

MODERN house; 7 rooms; lot 40 feet front; 30th st. off Telegraph ave.; particulars owner, 966 Broadway. u

FOR SALE—A beautiful home on Glen Ridge in Los Gatos, with suburban ranch of 35 acres; flowing stream; 8 acres orchard, balance good orchard land; now in hay; will few acres of wood and pasture. Address C. R. Stetson, owner, or B. H. Noble, agent, Los Gatos, Cal.; property shown by appointment.

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815 acres of first-class farming land, all under cultivation; farm houses, etc.; two miles from Livermore.

80 acres of first-class farming land adjoining above property.

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ELEGANT FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE on Highlands of Berkeley; facing west; fine view; large grounds; shade trees; gymnasium, $12,000 or $15,000, according to land. Two blocks from train and electric cars. Close to University. Property shown by appointment.

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A MAGNIFICENT HOME AT A SACRIFICE.

$6750—A magnificent home of 10 rooms, situated on a northwest terraced corner 100x150, with commanding view; finely finished interior; all modern appointments; gas, electricity, electrical annunciators and speaking tubes; furnace; stable; choicest residence section; climate unsurpassed; this place cost $12,500 and must be sold.

GILT EDGE.

$2850—Fine modern 6 room bay window cottage; high basement; gas, mantel; street work complete; well built; lot 45x100; reduced for quick sale.

REDUCED FROM $5000.

$4250—Fine Gothic house; 7 rooms and bath; large reception hall and spacious rooms; all modern conveniences; N. E. corner 50x140; on car line and near local station; this house has so many good features that it must be inspected to be appreciated.

$2250—Nice modern 5 room cottage; bath; high basement; washtubs, etc.; lot 50x100; fruit trees; one block to new ferry station; east of San Pablo ave.; bargain.

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$3250—Six fine new modern houses; 8 rooms and bath; combination fixtures; lot 38x115; street work complete; near Key Route; never occupied; substantial reduction for quick sale; easy payments.

ALBION STREET HOME.

$5500—Fine 9 room house, near Tel. ave.; nicely appointed, with all modern conveniences; lot 45x141; this price includes carpets and stores; owner leaving and property must be sold.

INVESTIGATE THESE TWO.

$3450—Nice bay window cottage; 7 rooms and bath; corner lot 70x100; on car line and within walking distance of Broadway; owner forcing sale.

VALUE AND LOCALITY COMBINED.

$3250—Nice cottage; 7 rooms and bath; spacious rooms; 3 mantels and grates; elaborate gas fixtures; 40 ft. frontage; near 12th and Filbert.

WORKINGMAN'S HOME.

$1600—Neat cottage; 4 rooms and bath; high basement; chicken yard and shed; lot 50x125; near Chestnut st.; terms can be arranged.

LOT SNAP.

$1100—Lot 50x140; street work complete; near 30th and Grove.

LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE CO., 460-462 Eighth street, Oakland.

LOTS.

$10 ft; 80x145; corner on new ferry line to Berkeley.
$10 ft; 38x100, near San Pablo and 55th.
$17.50 ft; 32x115, near 36th and Telegraph.
$25 ft; 30x90, best lot on Hamilton Place.
$20 ft; 39x125; fine lot in Peralta Heights.
$22.50 ft; 45x200, Peralta Heights.
$29 ft; 62x125, fine corner on Vernon Heights.
$30 ft; 40x132, Vernon St., near Santa Clara.
$30 ft; 33x133, Magnolia, near 16th.
$20 ft; 75x125, N. E. cor near Linden and San Pablo.
$25 ft; 44x132, Linden, near 18th; snap.
$25 ft; 50x140, 31st near Grove.
$20 ft; 50x120, 34th East of Market.
$27 ft; 40x70, N. side Merrimac St.
$70 ft; 60x100, N. E. cor 8th and West.
$75 ft; 50x100, 12th near Brush.
$20 ft; 65x150, 9th Ave. near 24th St.
$65 ft; 100x100, Lake Street facing Lake; cheaper than anything near in; midst of elegant homes.
$55 ft; 65x145, one of the very finest Adams Point lots; elegant home sight.
$5000—52x90; N. E. cor 14th and West; just the place for flats.
$1500—4 room cottage and bath; Walsworth near Pearl.

HOMES.

$2100—5-room cottage; 47th, near San Pablo.
$2600—6-room cottage Orange St.; will exchange for West Oakland lot.
$2600—Very cosy 5-room cottage, Hamilton Place.
$2800—New 6-room colonial; reduced from $3200; 31st near Grove.
$3650—New 7-room house; well built; near 36th and Telegraph.
$3750—8 rooms; 14th St. corner; close in.
$8500—Fine home 8 rooms; N. W. corner; Adams Point.
$12,500—Elegant 16-room home; best part of town; 5 minutes to narrow gauge.

AGENTS FOR ADAMS POINT PROPERTY.

GEO. B. M. GRAY, 454 Ninth St. u

## HOUSE AND LOT WANTED.

WANTED—To buy a modern cottage of about 6 rooms, East Oakland preferred; a house and lot on elevation and with large grounds and flowers would be desirable; would wish to deal with owner direct. Address W. L. Price, Tribune office, Oakland.

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ON furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc., without removal or publicity; any amount; low rates. Porter, 466 8th st. z

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Invest in new Electric Power and Mining Plant; a modest investment of capital is desired to assist in the initial work to put in an electric power plant; company also owns valuable mining properties; a special inducement will be given just now, and in addition to your stock your investment is fully covered by a 10 year first mortgage gold bond bearing 6 per cent interest; call or give your address. G. R., 215 Safe Deposit Bldg., San Francisco.

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WANTED—Party with capital to invest in manufacturing food business; big profits; business increasing so rapidly that more capital is required. A. R. Coulson Co., Petaluma, Cal.

## REAL ESTATE.

S. M. DODGE & SON, 1160 Broadway.

$850—Prominent corner in Elmhurst; 1 block from electric car line; cottage 4 rooms, partly completed; owner is called away and cannot finish; lot 100x141; the street car fare from Oakland to Elmhurst is 5 cents; this is a good opportunity to get the place cheap.
$1500—Two flats; rent for $20 per month; in West Oakland; live in one flat and rent the other; near railroad yards and Center st. station.

JUST LISTED.

Two story house, 6 rooms and bath; only 9 blocks from Adeline st. station; price $2750; never offered for sale before.
$2000—New cottage, 1 block from Adeline st. station; deep lot; modern up-to-date cottage; $900 cash.

VACANT LOTS.

Splendid building lots on fine residence street, between 8th and 10th streets and near Market st. station.
Four splendid lots in Berkeley, near Ashby station; $750 each; size 45x125; street work done.
$4000—Chicken ranch of 2 acres; all fenced; house 6 rooms and bath; brooder house, barn, hatching pens, etc.; ½ cash.
Fine 40 foot lot in Peralta Heights; price $480; much cheaper than anything adjoining it.
$700—First class vacant lot near Piedmont ave. and near the proposed station of the new ferry line; size 100x144.
$12,000—Large and valuable lot on San Pablo ave., near 40th; lot 102x167, worth $10,200; together with improvements worth $6000; all for $12,000.
$1400—Cottage, 5 rooms and bath; quite a way out, but very nice.
Two new houses within walking distance of the 40th and San Pablo station of the new ferry; $2650; 6 rooms and bath; lot 30x127.
Easy terms; splendid house, $3000, on Howe st., near proposed station of new ferry line; street work done; lot 50x130; rents now for $23.75 per month; on high ground; we consider this a bargain.

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$1100—Cottage, 6 rooms, shingled, bungalow effect, side entrance, lot 50x100 feet, four blocks, street car. 976
$1000—Cottage of 5 rooms, good barn, lot 37½x115 feet, vicinity of new ferry, $250 cash balance, small monthly payment. 1206
$1600—Cottage, 5 rooms, good condition, Linda Vista, price reduced for quick sale. 1258
$1650—A nobby, 6 room dwelling, only built two years, lot 40x110, two blocks of new ferry, well located. 1242
$2250—Cottage, 6 rooms, finished basement, West st., elegant location. 16
$2500—A fine large 7 room dwelling, all conveniences, good barn, lot 65x100 ft.; good location near Broadway, south of 29th st.; price reduced from $3250. 1312
$2600—A nobby Queen Ann cottage, 6 rooms, reception hall, bath, laundry in basement, strictly modern and new, in one of the best residence locations in Oakland, terms to suit purchaser. 1316
$2700—Brand new 6 room cottage, south frontage, barn and driveway, excellent location, south of 32d st. 1800
$3000—Two story, 7 rooms, new and modern, renting at $27.50 per month, high and elevated view of the bay, ½ block from street car, Linda Vista. 1159
$3250—New, two story, 6 rooms, modern in every respect, hardsomely finished, combination gas and electric fixtures, lot 47½x125 feet, Grove st. near 38th st. 1287
$3500—An elegant 7 room house, cove ceilings, combination gas and electric fixtures, material and workmanship in this house guaranteed to be of the very best, lot 37½x150 feet, good barn and driveway, surroundings good and 15 minutes' walk of City Hall. 1364
$3500—A handsome home of 9 rooms and all modern conveniences, N. E. cor., having a frontage of 70 feet by 100 feet, house insured for $2500, elegantly located, 4 blocks east of Lake Merritt, this lot is worth $40 per front foot and is a good buy at $5000, a non-resident and forced to sell, look into this immediately. 1267
$4250—A brand new, up-to-date residence, 7 rooms, bath and laundry, combination fixtures, Madison st., 2 blocks from local train, 5 minutes' walk from business center. 1175
$4500—Buys this new modern home of 8 rooms, good barn, driveway, 30th st., near Telegraph, cheapest piece of property offered in that vicinity. 1171

FLATS.

$3250—12 room flat on West st., fine location, renting $450 per annum, with an outlay of $50 will bring $480 per annum and will sell at an advance of $750 on investment.
$3750—Flat of 12 rooms, on 6th st., guaranteed income $480 per annum. These flats are in elegant repair, with south frontage and an open space of fifteen feet on either side, which makes them very desirable.
$4000—Double flats, 6 and 7 rooms, good location, income $504 per annum. 988
$4150—Double flats, 18th st., annual income $480. 807
$5000—Four flats, 5 rooms each, lot 60x75 feet, just east of Lake Merritt, income $720 per annum. These lots can be had for actual amount of mortgage. 1295
$8250—Double flats, on Telegraph ave., income $660 per annum. 1035
$6500—Double flats, 14 rooms, on Telegraph ave., modern design, good location, income $780 per annum.
$7500—Four flats, Madison st., income $960 per annum. 1332

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A HOME AND A PLACE TO MAKE A LIVING.

For sale—$2600, a store and a flat of 5 rooms upstairs; at Adeline station, 7th st.; near new Western Pacific R. R. terminal; good business property and will increase in value; easy terms. A. L. Derby and owner, 422 10th st. u

R. M. ANTHONY, 422 10th St.

$8750—Lovely home; modern house 13 rooms; good stable; lot 80x125; very central; property cost twice the price asked.
$3750—House 8 rooms; lot 40x125; very central.
$4500—House 10 rooms; modern; lot 40x125; very central.
$2150—Nearly new 2-story house 8 rooms; close to electric cars and near local; lot 40x100; all street work done; elevated site; south frontage; the house alone is worth $2400; East Oakland.
$2150—Modern 2-story house 7 rooms; lot 40x100; south front; fine view; close to electric, convenient to local station; street work all done; easy terms; house cost more than price asked; E. Oakland.
$1850—House 6 rooms bet. Market and Wests sts.; very deep lot; cheap place.
$1850—Corner lot, 36x106, on main electric line, in very thickly settled locality; good for coal yard or flats; very cheap.
$1350—Corner lot 57x100, on two main avenues; street work all done; on main electric line; vicinity thickly settled; good grocery stand.
$2250—Lot 61x120, S. W. cor., fine residence lot and good for flats; all street work done.
$4000—5¾acres on main avenue this side Mills Seminary; slightly elevated and no waste land; beautiful site for country home and a lovely climate. R. M. ANTHONY, 422 Tenth St. u

FORECLOSURE PROPERTIES

These properties were taken in under foreclosure of mortgages and are offered at prices that are far below the real values.

5-room house; lot 40x125; south side of 34 st., 330 feet west of Jones ave., Elmhurst; $1000.

Lot 42x90, north

# OFFICIAL RECORDS.

MONDAY, February 29, 1904.

DEEDS.

February 24, 04—Jennie and Nils Gilberg to Jesse H Taylor, Oakland, E Chestnut 135 S 10th S 30 by E 100 block 548 Boardman's map; $10.

February 13, 04—Harlow P and Sarah E Bancroft to Calvin A Shaw (single), Oakland, lots 68 and 68½ amended map subs Mosswood tract; $10.

February 29, 04—Hattie or Hattie E and E J Murphy to James H and Katie Young, Oakland, S 20th 525-3 E San Pablo av E 82 by S 86 ptns lots 24 and 25 block 2002 Hogan tract; $10.

February 8, 04—John G Klumpke (single) to M O and F M Wyatt and G S Connor, Bklyn Tp, beg 110 SW from E-23d and 130 NW 23d av NW 70 SW 50 SE 55 SW 30 SE 29 N 59 ptn lots 1 to 3 and 16 block B map Heald's 23d ave tract QCD; $10.

February 18, 04—Dell C Woodward and F J Woodward and as atty to Clarence Grange, E Okd, NE E-12th 150 NW 5th av NW 112-6 by NE 100 block 48 Clinton; E Okd, NE E-12th 75 NW 5th av NW 37-6 by NE 100 block 48 same; E Okd, SW E-14th 167-6 NW 5th av NW 37-6 by SW 100 block 48 same; E Okd, W cor E-14th and 5th av NW 70 by SW 100 block 48 same; E Okd, SW E-14th 80 SE 4th av SE 37-6 SW 115 NW 117-6 NE 45 SE 80 NE 100 block 48 same; $10.

June 3, 03—Sarah E Jensen to Margaret J MacDonald, Berkeley, N Dwight way 150 W Telegraph av W 75 by N 135.15 map College Hd Assn; $10.

June 3, 03—Margaret J MacDonald to Sara E Jensen, Berkeley, N Dwight way 225 W Telegraph av W 75 by N 135.15 same map; $10.

February 29, 04—Edith Heyer admx Estate Gordon Winslow to W H Marston, Berkeley, all int E Arch 140.01 S Vine S 150 by E 270 lots 6 and 7 and S 30 ft lot 5 block 2 Bkly View Hd Assn tract; $9500.

February 25, 04—Pacific Coast Loan Assn to Sarah T Allinger (married), Alameda, E Court 105-9 S Lincoln av S 50 by E 117-6½ lot 15 block B map sub Sather and Robinson tract; $10.

February 27, 04—Edward R Painter to June G Painter, Alameda, W Regent 57-6 N San Jose av N 50 by W 128-3½ lot A block 46 Alameda Park Hd; gift.

December 28, 03—Boulder Creek Ld and Lumber Co to George Lowrie, E F Burdick, James Spencer and B A Brown trs Newark Presbyterian Church, Wash Tp, beg at pt 125 S from SW cor George and Ash th W parallel with George 125 N 50 E 125 S 50 ptn lots 5, 6 and 4 block 151 map town of Newark; $10.

February 24, 04—Adolph and Bertha Lebrecht to Frank Silva, Wash Tp, E Ellsworth at SW cor lot 8 block B th alg S bdy in lots 8 and 7 15 284 by N 50 being lots 7 and 8 and S ptn lots 6 and 9 map town of Mission San Jose; $5.

February 20, 04—Jane Stevenson (widow), to Christ Kjoller, Wash Tp, 3 acres beg at stake in NW bdy in lds of 1st pty distant NE 14.138 chs fm NE in Central Pacific R R r of w sd beg pt being at most N cor Co svy No 3203 th alg bdy in aforesaid NE 5.065 chs by SE 5.92 chs ptn Survey No 25 lds ex-Mission San Jose; Wash Tp, right of way over strip 25 lks wide as follows, beg at stake on NW In Co Rd 1670 distant NE 16.693 chs fm NE in C P R R r of w th NW 19.79 chs by NE 25 lks etc; $5.

November 25, 03—James English to Mary English (wf), Oakland, N Pacific distant E 149-3 fm E Willow E 25 by N 100-7 lot 33 block 466 Gibbons ppty at Oakland Point; gift.

January 3, 04—P N and Theodine Christiansen to Oletta Pedersen, Oakland, beg at common cor lots 6 and 7 in E in Walsworth av th SE 93 th alg NW in lot 6 27-6 NW parallel to E Walsworth av th alg sd last in to beg being S 27-6 of lot 6 Okd View Hd; $10.

February 26, 04—H M Wood (single) to Anna B McIntyre (wf) A C McIntyre, Oakland, E Filbert 75 S 21st S 40-10 by E 125 ptn lots 16 and 17 map Jahn tract; gift.

August 26, 03—Savings and Loan Society and E A Heron to George Sterling, Oakland, lot 1 SW 10 ft lot 2 and lot 17 block D map Thermal Hill fmly Hove tract; $10.

January 11, 00—George B M and Alice M Gray, Thos J and Mary J Walsh by Clarence Crowell comr to Home Security B & L Assn, Oakland, W Linden 56-8 N 44th N 30 by W 90 ptn lot 2 block 2105 Alden tract at Temescal; $769.

February 20, 04—D W and Jennie L La Fortune to Ida Christensen, wife of Chris Christensen, East Oakland, lot 8 block A map Peralta Heights; $10.

February 20, 04—Dell C and F J Woodward (husband) and as atty to Robert E French, East Oakland, n corner E-12th and 5th avenue NW 75 by NE 100 block 48 Clinton; $10.

December 7, 03—Peter and Elizabeth M J Petersen to Alice E Freeman, Berkeley, und ½ W Walnut 55 N Virginia N 45 by W 94.73 portion lots 4 and 5 block C Plat Percy tract; $100.

February 15, 04—Calvin S and Mary L Winchell to Davie C Rosebrook, Berkeley, E Harper 141.61 S Mason S 41.61 by E 122.01; $10.

February 18, 04—Silas G and Elizabeth B Hickok to James Chester Hickok, Berkeley, E 25 feet of lot 3 map Scoville tract in plot 51 V and D Peralta Ro; $10.

February 16, 04—Rosa M Shattuck and John W Havens (single) to S S Petrovich, Berkeley, N Carlton 165.46 W Shattuck avenue W 50 by N 129.65 lot 18 block 11 map No 4 Shattuck tract, deed and agreement; $10.

February 20, 04—Isabella A Rogers (widow) to Glennie Davies, Berkeley, S Parker 100 E Fulton E 25 by S 98 portion lots 14 and 15 block 1455 Berkeley property maps Nos 1 and 2 Blake tract; $10.

February 25, 04—L E Martin (single) to Elizabeth Lewis, Berkeley, W Regent (Manoa) 100 N Parker N 33-4 by W 90 portion lot 10 block D map blocks A to D of map No 3 Hillegass tract; $10.

February 10, 04—Louisa E Price (widow) to R S Naylor, Berkeley, N Haste 200 W Fulton W 40 by N 135 portion lot 6 block 3 map property College Hd Assn etc; $10.

February 19, 04—Same to Berkeley Friends Church (religious corporation), Berkeley, N Haste 240 W Fulton, W 10 by N 135 portion lot 6 block 3 same map; $10.

January 26, 04—Bruguiere Co (corporation) to Mary L Zappettini (wife) P H Zappettini, Brooklyn Tp, NW Elise avenue and Washington N 50 by W 125 lots 20 and 21 block 6 map sub block 17 and 24 and E ½ block 6 etc Sather tract, Fruitvale; $10.

May 18, 03—Eleanor S Deering (widow) and Chester S Deering by Frank H Brooks, their atty to Clarence W Bailey, Brooklyn Tp, E Deering avenue 289 N its intrn with N line of County road 1-25 Oakland to San Leandro thence NE 25 by SE 115 being N 25 feet of lot 38 map Fruitvale and San Leandro road tract; $10.

February 29, 04—Jos Joaquin Rezenti (single) to Ernst Zerweck, Brooklyn Tp, lots 91 and 92 Elmhurst square; $10.

February 25, 04—Allen D and Amelia E Wilson to Edward L Gibbens, Brooklyn Tp, lots 14 to 20, block C map sub block C of revised map of Prospect Hill tract; $10.

February 26, 04—George D and Ella Hutchison to Sarah L Hawes, Brooklyn Tp, SE Pomona avenue SW 117 from SW Washington SE 125 by SW 38 portion lot 1 block 10 map subs of NE portion Sache tract, Fruitvale; $10.

February 27, 04—Jose S Azevedo to John Black, Eden Tp, lot 7 block 13 Estrallo tract, San Leandro; $10.

February 8, 04—Maggie Foster (single) to Poe Lutz Rose, Eden Tp, N Chumalia 100 E Harrison E 50 N 175 to bank San Leandro creek W along same to point that would be intersected by line at r a to Chumalia N from to beginning thence S to beginning lot 3 and portion lots 7 and 8 block 6 map East San Leandro; $50.

MORTGAGES.

February 25, 04—Calvin A Shaw (single) to James Templeton, Oakland, same as in deed to Calvin A Shaw; $2500.

February 27, 04—Anna B and Archibald C McIntyre to Farmers' and Merchants Savings Bank, Oakland, same as in deed from H M Wood, 2 years; $1800.

February 29, 04—Holcomb Land Company, formerly Heron-Holcomb Company (corporation) to Frances A Wilcox (widow), Oakland, SE Castro and 3d E 75 by S 100 lots 5 to 8 block 23 KelIogs map; $3000.

February 26, 04—J A and Alice Hackett (wife) to Sarah A Hussey, Alameda, E Union 125 N Railroad avenue (prior to widening) N 50 by E 108 lots 9 and 10 block 25 property near Encinal Station of Columbus Bartlett Esq, 1 year 8 per cent; $700.

December 2, 03—P J and Lizzie C Meyers (wife) to Catharina Schnoor, East Oakland, NE E-18th 112 NW 13th avenue NE 125 by NW 38 block 111 Clinton 2 year, 8 per cent; $2500.

February 25, 04—Grace M Cassidy (single) to State Savings Bank, Brooklyn Tp, S Stewart 50 SE its intrn with E line of r of w of Laundry Farm Railroad E 258 by S 234 portion lot 10 map Land Brooklyn Land Company Install; $1200.

November 3, 03—George and Elizabeth W French (wife) to F J Woodward, East Oakland, NE E-12th 150 SE 4th avenue SE 37-6 by NE 100 block 48 Clinton; $4000.

East Oakland, assigned to Clarence Grance February 29, 04 same, value received.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

February 27, 04—Charles and Amy R Hoffmann to A A Smith and W B Dunning trs Savings and Loan Society, Oakland, S Delger or 20th 90 W Webster W 43 S 61.11 SE 34.23 SW 12.61 SE 10.50 NE 76.98 to beg; $2000.

February 16, 04—Calvin A Shaw to Herbert L and A H Breed trs Harlow P Bancroft, Oakland, lots 68 and 68½ amended map subs Mosswood tract; $1150.

February 24, 04—James J Crawford (single) to Ferd Reis Jr and W S Pardy trs Pacific States S L and B Co, Okd Tp, S cor Laurel (Monte Vista) and Piedmont avs SE 100 by SW 29.12 lot 64 map Piedmont Villa tct ptn plot 19 V and D Peralta Ro; $2800.

February 26, 04—Jesse H Taylor to Isaac L Requa and W W Garthwaite trs Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland, same as in deed to Jesse H Taylor; $1500.

February 20, 04—David C and Marionetta Rosebrook to L H Jacobi and Charles E Naylor trs California B L Assn, Berkeley, same as in deed fm Calvin S Winchell et ux ptn lot 13 map sub blk 7 Central Park tract; $2800.

February 20, 04—Timothy and Catherine Moriarty to R J McMullen and W C Moody trs State Savings Bank, E Okd, NW Park av 90 SW E-10th SW 30 by NW 60 lot 14 block 11 map Badgers sub of block 1 Clinton; $600.

February 25, 04—Edward L and Amelia Holmes to same, Oakland, N Elizabeth 204.58 W Mabel W 50 N 98.76 E 50 S 97.23 lot 23 map 3 Potts tract; $250.

## MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

Steamers due and to sail today and for the next seven days are as follows:

DEPART.

| Steamers. | For— | Sails. |
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| Spokane | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 2 |
| Santa Barbara | Los Angeles | Mar. 2 |
| Sierra | Sydney, via Honolulu, Auckland | Mar. 3 |
| State of California | San Diego and way ports | Mar. 3 |
| George W. Elder | Astoria and Portland | Mar. 3 |
| Pomo | Point Arena and Albion | Mar. 3 |
| Del Norte | Crescent City | Mar. 3 |
| Coronado | Gray's Harbor | Mar. 3 |
| George W. Elder | Astoria and Portland | Mar. 3 |
| Pomo | Point Arena and Albion | Mar. 3 |
| Del Norte | Crescent City | Mar. 3 |
| Arcata | Coos Bay and Port Orford | Mar. 4 |
| Bonita | Newport, San Pedro, etc | Mar. 4 |
| Eureka | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 4 |
| Doric | Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokohama and Manila | Mar. 5 |
| Acapulco | New York, via Panama | Mar. 5 |
| Point Arena | Mendocino and Point Arena | Mar. 5 |
| Pomona | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 5 |
| Rainier | Seattle and Whatcom | Mar. 5 |
| North Fork | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 5 |
| Umatilla | Victoria, Puget Sound and Alaska | Mar. 6 |
| Santa Rosa | San Diego and way ports | Mar. 6 |
| Jeanie | Seattle and Tacoma | Mar. 6 |
| Chico | Coquille River | Mar. 6 |
| Santa Rosa | San Diego and way ports | Mar. 6 |
| Jeanie | Seattle and Tacoma | Mar. 6 |
| Curacao | Mexican ports | Mar. 7 |

ARRIVE.

| Steamers. | From— | Due. |
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| | and Victoria | Mar. 2 |
| Eureka | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 2 |
| Rainier | Seattle and Whatcom | Mar. 2 |
| North Fork | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 2 |
| Jeanie | Seattle and Tacoma | Mar. 2 |
| Arcata | Coos Bay and Port Orford | Mar. 2 |
| Santa Barbara | Seattle and Olympia, Arcata, etc | Mar. 2 |
| Peru | New York, via Panama | Mar. 3 |
| Santa Rosa | San Diego and way ports | Mar. 3 |
| Pomona | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 3 |
| Point Arena | Mendocino and Point Arena | Mar. 3 |
| Coos Bay | San Pedro, way ports | Mar. 3 |
| Oregon | Portland and Astoria | Mar. 5 |
| Spokane | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 6 |
| Queen | Alaska, Puget Sound and Victoria | Mar. 7 |
| State of California | San Diego and way ports | Mar. 7 |
| Eureka | Eureka, Arcata, etc | Mar. 7 |
| San Pedro | Gray's Harbor | Mar. 7 |

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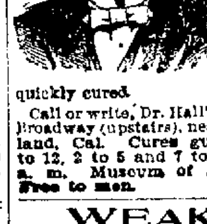

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Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Carberry, also described as Thomas Carbray, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the Will of Thomas Carberry, also described as Thomas Carbray, deceased, and for the issuance to Mary Mulligan of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 4th day of March, A. D., 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, February 20, 1904.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.
JOHN J. McDONALD, 856 Broadway, Oakland, Attorney for Petitioner.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Jane Evoy, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that written applications for the appointment of Percie C. Black as trustee of the funds created under and by the terms of the will of said Mary Jane Evoy, deceased, for the benefit of Wm. T. Norris, Sarah Norris, William Norris, Charles Norris, Harriet Ward French, Claude E. Shaw, Alma M. Shaw and Emily Norris, have been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the fourth day of March, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 thereof, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, have been fixed as the time and place for hearing said application, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated February 17th, 1904.

(Seal)

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Gustav Rosenk, also known as and called Gustav Rosenkranz, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Gustav Rosenk, also known as and called Gustav Rosenkranz, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the law office of Messrs. Reed & Nusbaumer, No. 922 Broadway street, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as its place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Gustav Rosenk, also known as and called Gustav Rosenkranz, deceased.

Dated Oakland, Feb. 8th, 1904.

CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA.

(Seal)

By HENRY BRUNNER, Secretary,
Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Gustav Rosenk, also known as and called Gustav Rosenkranz, deceased.

Directors' Meeting.

Office of The Idora Park Amusement Company, Idora Park, Oakland, Alameda County, California.

February 19th, 1904.

In accordance with a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of The Idora Park Amusement Company, held this day, a special meeting of the stockholders of said company is hereby called to be held at the office of said company in Idora Park, Oakland, Alameda county, California (the principal place of business of said corporation and the building where the Board of Directors of said company usually meet), on Saturday, the 30th day of April, 1904, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. of said day. The object of said meeting is to take into consideration and decide upon the proposition to increase the capital stock of said company from $100,000.00, divided into 1000 shares of $100 each, the present capital stock of the company, to $150,000.00, to be divided into 1500 shares of $100 each.

M. H. DIEPENBROCK, President.
PETER B. NEWMAN, Secretary.

LEGAL.

Order Setting Time and Place of Hearing Petition for Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the application of "The California Chinese Mission," a benevolent corporation, for permission to sell real estate.

The petition of "The California Chinese Mission," a benevolent corporation, for permission to sell certain real estate, hereinafter particularly described, having been this day presented to a Judge of this Court:

It is hereby ordered that Friday, the 19th day of February, 1904, at ten o'clock a. m. on said day, and the Court room of Department No. 3 of this Court, in the Court House in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, be and the same are hereby appointed as the time and place for the hearing of said petition.

It is further ordered that notice of the said time and place of the hearing of said petition be given by a publication of a copy of this order in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, for five (5) days prior to said day of hearing.

The real estate desired to be sold, and hereinabove referred to, is described as follows:

That certain lot of land in the City of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the western line of Shattuck avenue, distant thereon sixty and 6-100 (60.06) feet southerly from the southern line of Berkeley way, and running thence southerly along said line of Shattuck avenue forty-nine and 20-100 (49.20) feet; thence westerly, parallel with Berkeley way, one hundred and five and 50-100 (105.50) feet, more or less, to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn southerly from and at right angles to Berkeley way, from a point on the southern line of said Berkeley way, distant one hundred and thirteen and 30-100 (113.30) feet westerly from the western line of Shattuck avenue; and thence at right angles northerly forty-nine (49) feet, more or less, to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn from the point of commencement, parallel with Berkeley way; and thence at right angles easterly, along said parallel line, one hundred and nine (109) feet, more or less, to the point of commencement. Being portion of lots numbers 57 and 58, as laid down and delineated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the College Tract, Berkeley, subdivided January, 1890," filed January 31st, 1890, in the County Recorder's office of Alameda County.

Dated February 11th, 1904.

F. B. OGDEN, Judge.
HAVEN & HAVEN, Claus Spreckels Building, San Francisco, Attorneys for Petitioner.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Freda Johanna Stocker, formerly known as Freda Johanna Smith, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Freda Johanna Stocker, formerly known as Freda Johanna Smith, deceased, and for the issuance to Rudolph Stocker of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 11th day of March, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated Feb'y 26th, 1904.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.
SAMUEL BELL McKEE, Attorney for Petitioner, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of William H. Wood, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of William H. Wood, deceased, and for the issuance to Laura Elizabeth Wood of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 7th day of March, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated Feb'y 24, 1904.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By A. A. ROGERS, Deputy Clerk.
J. B. RICHARDSON, Attorney for Petitioner.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph S. Schuster, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Joseph S. Schuster, deceased, and for the issuance to Clement J. Schuster of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 7th day of March, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated Feb'y 25, 1904.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By G. S. PIERCE, Deputy Clerk.
GEO. E. DE GOLIA, Attorney for Petitioner.

# TRUSTEE'S SALE.

In accordance with the terms and under the authority of a certain deed of trust duly executed by Mary Ann Nesbit, a widow, the party of the first part, to Wm. G. Henshaw and J. West Martin, trustees, parties of the second part, of whom Wm. G. Henshaw became the successor and survivor in the trust therein created upon the death of said J. West Martin, and The Union Savings Bank, a corporation, the party of the third part, dated April 27th, 1899, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, in Liber 670 of Deeds, at page 405 et seq., and in pursuance of a resolution passed on the 2nd day of January, 1904, by the Board of Directors of The Union Savings Bank, a corporation, and the holder of the note (No. 6965), to secure the payment of which the aforesaid deed of trust was executed, declaring that default had been made in the payment of the interest and other sums due under said note and deed of trust, and requesting and directing the said undersigned Wm. G. Henshaw as such surviving trustee to sell the real estate described therein to satisfy said indebtedness:

I, Wm. G. Henshaw, surviving trustee under said deed of trust, do hereby give notice that on Wednesday, the 23rd day of March, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, at the auction salesroom of Woodward, Watson & Co., at No. 1172 Broadway street, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, the piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the northeastern line of East Seventeenth street (formerly Harrison street) and the southeastern line of Eleventh avenue (formerly Pierce street), and running thence southeasterly along the said line of East Seventeenth street one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence northeasterly parallel with Eleventh avenue fifty (50) feet; thence northwesterly parallel with East Seventeenth street one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the southeastern line of Eleventh avenue; and thence southwesterly along the said line of Eleventh avenue fifty (50) feet to the place of beginning. Being a portion of block No. 93 as the said block is delineated and so designated on Higley's Map of Clinton, of record in Liber "B" of Deeds on page 537, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda County. Together with the appurtenances.

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Dated, February 29th, 1904.

WM. G. HENSHAW, Surviving Trustee.

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# CEMETERY CREEK SEWER.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB BRINGS MATTER TO ATTENTION OF COUNCIL.

M. M. Barnet, representing the Piedmont Improvement Club, asked that the City Council take steps to see that Cemetery Creek was properly sewered. The cost, he suggested, be borne by the municipality by having the project incorporated in the bond issue.

"The people out in that district," he said, "ask that we be given something. Six years ago we were handed a gold brick when we were induced to become a part of the city. Since then we have brick when we were induced to become to equalize things and have the city pay us for the gold brick handed us. We want the sewer and we think it nothing but just that we should get something. Every other portion of the city will get something out of the bond issue. That is all we ask."

Mr. Ferguson, another resident in that section said he would like to have the sewer come out of the bond issue, but if they couldn't get it that way they would have to get the sewer in some other way.

Mr. Dornin said he did not think the Council would overlook the needs of the people in that district.

Mr. Ferguson said the sewer was a necessity. It was wrong to have the city sewer into Cemetery Creek, especially when the city was so anxious about the sanitary condition.

Mr. Elliot moved that the City Engineer be ordered to prepare plans and specifications for a sewer in the creek in question.

City Engineer said the difficulty was in getting right of way. Mr. Britton was now working on the subject.

Mr. Ferguson said the people would pay for the sewer if they could not get it some other way. There was a natural park there which he would like to have included in the bond issue. It was a natural park and would cost less than any other place. They wanted a park and a sewer but they wanted the sewer first. The matter was referred.

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# HEARING SET FOR FRANCHISES.

FREE PUBLIC FLOWER MARKETS MAY BE ESTABLISHED BY COUNCIL.

At the meeting of the City Council, last night, the subject of permitting free flower markets for retail vendors, was introduced by Councilman Cuvellier and time was set for the hearing of the application for certain street-car franchises.

### STREET FRANCHISES.

In the matter of street railroad franchises, March 2 was set as the time for hearing of the San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose Railway for a franchise to operate cars along Spring street, Linden street, Fortieth street across various private rights of way to Southern line of Forty-first street; also fixing some date as time for hearing protest of Carl Engelhardt and others against granting the franchise.

March 29, 1904, was set for the hearing of the application of the San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose Railroad Company for a franchise to lay down and operate a railway on Linden street near Forty-first street and cross Fifty-second, Fifty-third, Fifty-fourth streets and private rights of way to Fifty-fifth street thence to Telegraph avenue.

The Cuvellier innovation was in effect that the Street Committee select and designate certain locations on the curb line of sidewalks on Broadway and Washington streets to be used as free flower markets under proper police restrictions and the said Street Committee was requested to have prepared the necessary ordinance to cover the cost.

The subject was referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

A communication from Mary Sullivan relating to a sidewalk on Sherman street was referred to the Superintendent of Streets.

### ASSESSMENT ROLLS.

The ordinance authorizing the Assessor to procure assessment rolls from the County Assessor was finally passed.

A resolution of intention to grade, curb and macadamize Second avenue, between East Sixteenth and East Twentieth street was referred to the Street Committee.

The petition of P. B. Preble and others for a sidewalk on Thirtieth street from San Pablo avenue to West street was referred to the Street Committee.

### SUBWAY OBSTRUCTION.

The communication from Samuel J. Taylor, secretary of the Oakland Transit Consolidated to the effect that that company would do away with the annoyance occasioned by water in the district, north of the subway near Emeryville, was referred to the Street Committee.

### BILL WILL BE PRESENTED.

THE HAGUE, March 1.—A new cussoms bill will shortly be presented to the States General. It is exempt from duty on raw materials, imposes a small duty on partly manufactured materials and duties ranging from 6 to 12 per cent ad valorem on wholly manufactured goods. On luxuries the tariff is still higher. It is estimated the new tariff will yield an increase of about $3,600,000. The free list includes cereals and agricultural and horticultural products, among them flour, in casks and coffee.

The Belgian government prize assigned every five years for the best new book in the French language, has fallen this time to Emile Verhaeren for his volume of poems, "Visages de la Vie." The jury had examined 147 books in competition with his. The last prize winner was Maeterlinck.

# PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

ACTIVITY AND ENGAGEMENTS IN MANY PARTS OF THE CITY.

Mrs. Thomas Prather was hostess at an informal tea given this afternoon at her home on Alice street complimentary to Mrs. J. M. Hawley. The house was effectively decorated with spring flowers and ferns and a delightful afternoon was spent. Those who assisted the hostess in receiving were: Mrs. W. W. Garthwaite, Mrs. Joslah Stanford, Miss Annie Miller, Mrs. William H. High, Mrs. H. H. Adams and Mrs. Harry East Miller.

### COMPLIMENTARY LUNCHEON.

Miss Lucile Webster entertained a number of friends yesterday at a luncheon given at her Berkeley home, complimentary to Miss Rhoda Howell whose marriage to Fletcher Ames will take place Saturday. Pink carnations and pink hearts were used for decoration and after the luncheon the guests enjoyed readings by a professional palmist. The guests included: Miss Rhoda Howell, Miss Marjorie Erwin, Miss Maude Meyers, Miss May Meyers, Miss Elsa Ames, Miss Elizabeth Thompson, Miss Charlotte Hall, Miss Helen Robinson.

### NEDERINE CLUB.

The Nederine Club is planning a delightful leap year reception to be given tomorrow evening at Pythian Hall. This club has a record for enjoyable affairs and the reception tomorrow evening promises to be very successful. The reception committee includes Mrs. W. L. Belrose, Mrs. C. W. Denny, Mrs. Charles Conlon, Mrs. William J. Hyde, Miss Jean Pomeroy, Miss Blanche Davis, Miss Fannette Kohl, Mrs. J. Stevenson, Miss Margaret Hyde and Miss Kathryn Hyde.

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

The engagement has just been announced of Miss Eleanor Larkin and Harry Dumont both of Alameda. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Larkin of Park avenue and is a charming and accomplished girl. Harry Dumont is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dumont and is well-known in club and musical circles. He has decided dramatic talent and has always taken a prominent part in the farces presented under the auspices of the Encinal Literary Society. He is identified with the Pacific Coast Borax Company. The wedding will be one of the events of the early summer.

### LIBBY-GREEN.

A quiet wedding took place last week in East Oakland when Miss Alice K. Green became the bride of Frank C. Libby. Both young people have a host of friends here but the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Dr. Jesse Wood, was witnessed by only a few relatives and near friends. Mr. and Mrs. Libby will make their home in East Oakland.

### METCALF CONCERT.

The concert this evening to be given by three of John Metcalf's gifted pupils promises to be a great success. The program is unusually fine and includes piano selections by Mrs. E. J. Burns, Miss Estelle Drummond and Miss Margaret Davis. Lowell Redfield will sing four of Mr. Metcalf's new songs for the first time with an accompaniment played by the composer. Miss Nina Clark, violinist; Miss Florinne Juillert, contralto and William Leimert, cellist, will also contribute to the program, and a musical treat is anticipated.

### WHIST SERIES.

The second of the series of whist parties being given by Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 360, Fraternal Brotherhood, will take place Wednesday evening, March 2d, at Maple Hall. A number of beautiful prizes have been secured for the occasion and all friends are cordially invited to participate in the contest. The price of admission will be 25 cents.

### WEDDING DAY.

Miss Ethel Kent, formerly of Oakland, has announced the date fixed for her wedding to Lieutenant Allen to be the afternoon of Wednesday, April 6th. The wedding will be a very pretty affair of spring and the coterie of bridal attendants has been chosen from among Miss Kent's Oakland friends.

### COSMOS CLUB.

Mrs. Quincey A. Chase was hostess at a very pleasant meeting of the Cosmos Club yesterday afternoon at her home on Webster street. After a delightful game, Mrs. Paul Lohse carried off the members' prize and Mrs. Andrew Moseley the substitutes' prize.

The players included Mrs. F. L. Barker, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. J. A. Folger, Mrs. Harry Gordon, Mrs. W. S. Goodfellow, Mrs. R. W. Gorrill, Mrs. E. H. Kittredge, Mrs. E. G. Lukens, Mrs. Paul Lohse, Mrs. Horry Meek, Mrs. Will Meek, Mrs. Pedar Sather, Mrs. F. Marion Smith, Mrs. E. F. Taylor, Miss Prentiss Selby, Mrs. Edward M. Walsh, Mrs. William Morris, Mrs. Andrew Moseley, Mrs. E. B. Beck, Mrs. George W. McNear, Mrs. S. R. Church, Mrs. George Cook, Mrs. G. W. Dornin and Miss Soule.

### PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ralston of Berkeley are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ralston and many social affairs are being planned in their honor.

Mrs. Charles Mills Gayley is entertaining Miss Cressy of Detroit, Michigan, at her home in Berkeley.

Mrs. Samuel D. Gilman was hostess at the meeting of the Fledgport Whist Club yesterday afternoon at her charming home on Hillside avenue.

The members present were Mrs. Geo. Sterling, Mrs. William E. Sharon, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mrs. Henry Bratnober, Mrs. Harry Thomas, Mrs. Charles D. Gilman, Mrs. Harry P. Maxwell, Mrs. Edward Engs, Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mrs. J. T. W. Randall, Mrs. J. B. Richardson, Mrs. H. C. Mygatt, Mrs. E. E. House and Mrs. Florence Wing.

Mrs. Charles Kendall and Mrs. G. C. Morgan, wife of Mr. G. C. Morgan, president of the California Oil Burner Company of this city, arrived from Chicago yesterday and are stopping at the Hotel Metropole.

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Mourning pins, actual 5c value; notion sale price.....2c box

Star Braid in 12 pieces, actual 10c value; notion sale price 5c pkg

Aluminum Hair Pins, actual 10c value; notion sale price .. 5c dozen

Nail Brushes, in all sizes and shapes, actual 25c and 35c values, notion sale price .....19c each

Best quality Bath Brushes, with adjustable handles, actual 65c value, notion sale price .....40c

Rick Rack Braid in all widths, actual 10c value; notion sale price piece of 12 yards.....5c yard

Curling Irons, all sizes; actual 7c and 10c values; notion sale price .....4c each

Silk Taffeta Seam Binding in all colors; actual 10c value; notion sale price .....8c piece

French Darning Cotton, large size balls, actual 5c value; notion sale price .....2½c each

All-silk Tailor Buttons, all colors, regular 10c and 12½c value; notion sale price .....4c dozen

Diamond Fasteners in black and white, all sizes; the actual value, 6c dozen; notion sale price .. 4c dozen

Pompadour Hair Rolls, (Rats) the actual 20c value; notion sale price .....12c each

Fine nickel plated Safety Pins; your choice of sizes; the actual 5c value; notion sale price ..2½c doz.

Cabinet Hair Pins (100 pins to cabinet) heavy and invisible, straight and crimped; actual 5c value; notion sale price ..4c cabinet

Kid Hair Curlers, medium, small and large; actual 5c and 10c values, notion sale price .....3c dozen

Large Cabinet Hair Pins, containing 200 assorted pins to cabinet; actual 12½c value; notion sale price .....7½c cabinet

Genuine Kerby Bearl Hair Pins, assorted sizes; actual value 12½c box; notion sale price .....7c box

The Scientific Kerby Hair Pin, actual 4c value; notion sale price .....1c box

Bonnet Pins, extra long, best quality, actual 12c value; notion sale price .....5c dozen

Climax Safety Pin Books, all sizes of safety and plain pins, black and white mixed; actual 11c value; notion sale .....6c book

Kid covered Corset Steels, in all lengths, the celebrated "Au Clarion" brand, that has sold as high as 12½c; notion sale price....1c each

Featherbone stock foundation Collars, all sizes, sold always at 10c; notion sale price.....4c each

Extra Large Cube Pins (100 pins to cube) 10c cubes; notion sale price .....6c each

Small cube fine 100 pins to cube, 8c cubes, notion sale price ..4c each

Small Cube, fine (200 pins to cube) 12½c cubes; notion sale price 8c ea

Large cube pins (200 pins to cube) 15c cubes; notion sale price 10c ea

Initial Letters (German make) 36 in package, 10c initials; notion sale price .....4c pkg

Sweetwater Pearl Buttons, 2 and 4 holes, all sizes from 16 to 24 line; the actual price 10c dozen; notion sale price .....4c dozen

Uncle Sam's Celebrated Carpet and Button thread, all colors, 100 yards to spool; actual 10c value; notion sale price .....3c spool

Thomson's Reinforced Corset Steels, black and gray, white; actual 10c value; notion sale price .....5c pair

Belt Pin Books, assorted sizes, jet heads, actual 10c value; notion sale price .....7c book

Turney's imported needle pointed Pin Books, best quality, actual 15c value; notion sale price ..8c book

Feather-stitch Braid, extra fine quality, 4 and 12 yard bunches, values up to 12½c; notion sale price .....2c bunch

Best quality Shell Hair Pins, put up in neat boxes, dozen in box; actual 20c value .....10c dozen

Hair Brushes, rosewood, walnut and ebony backs, made of good bristle, actual 35c value; notion sale price.....24c each

Self-adjustable velvet grip frilled Satin Hose Supporters, actual $1.25 value; notion sale price ..76c pair

All Satin and Silk fancy frilled Foster Hose Supporters, with sterling silver mountings, actual $1.25 value; notion sale price ..75c pair

500 Belt Pins in gilt, silver, oxidized, all desirable patterns, actual 5c and 10c values; notion sale price .....1c each

Velvet Grip Belt Supporters, black and white only, all sizes, the actual 25c value; notion sale price 20c pair

Stocking Darners, the actual 7½c value; notion price sale ....3c each

Revolving Needle Cases, one of the most scientific devices of the day, securing any size of needle by revolving dial, actual 10c value; notion sale price .....3c case

Fancy Silk Dress Belting, actual value 50c piece; notion sale price .....20c the piece

Good Bristle Tooth Brushes, pure white, actual 15c value; notion sale price .....8c each

Invisible crimped Hair Pins in boxes, actual 5c value; notion sale price .....2c each

Invisible Hair Pins, actual 10c value, fire Gilded; sale price.....5c paper

Dr. Warner's Waist Bone, silk covered, actual 15c value, substitute for whalebone; notion sale price .....5c yard

Eureka bed clothes Fastener, handiest device for children and infants, actual 35c value; notion sale price .....19c ea

Darning Cotton, all colors, actual 15c dozen cards; notion sale price .....5c doz cards

Snap Hooks and Eyes, actual 10c value; notion sale price5c four doz

Black Soutache Embroidering braid, actual 20c piece value; notion sale price .....5c piece

Real Mother of Pearl Cats' Eye Buttons, actual 25c value; notion sale price .....12½c doz

Stockinet Dress Shields, (real Kleinert's make) actual 15c value; notion sale price .....7c

Empire Rubber Cuff Holders, black and checked, all sizes, actual 25c value; notion sale price 21c pair

Fancy frilled silk Round Garters, with fancy bow and silver buckle, put up in fancy glass-covered boxes, actual 75c value; notion sale price .....39c pair

Bone Casing, 3 yards to piece, actual 7½c value; notion sale price .....2½c piece

Shirt and Waist Supporter, the actual 25c value notion sale price all sizes.....13c ea

Fancy Brooch, Breast and Belt Pins, over 100 different styles, actual values up to 20c; notion sale price .....5c each

Fancy Jeweled Hat Pins, over 25 different styles to select from, actual values to 20c; notion sale price .....3c each

Oxidized, German Silver and Black Belt and Sash Buckles, actual values 25c and 35c; notion sale price .....18c each

Glass Beaded Chains, Single strand, blue and white, Lavender, the actual 12½c value; notion sale price.....8 1-3c each

Brass Rings for fancy work, actual value 10c and 12½c dozen; notion sale price .....5c dozen

Superb crochet and knitting pure silk, all colors, actual value 10c spool; notion sale price ..3 for 10c

The celebrated E. S. C. Embroidery Cotton, in red, white and black, actual 20c value; notion sale price (1 dozen skeins to bunch) 4c bunch

XX quality Silk Chenille for embroidery work, in all colors, actual 7½c value; notion sale price .....1c bunch

Vestibule Rod Rings, in two sizes, ¼ and 3-8, actual 10c value; notion sale price .....4c dozen

Undulated Velvet Ribbon, in four different widths, actual values to 30c; notion sale price .... 11c yard

Feather Edge Baby Ribbon, in all colors, actual 12½c piece; notion sale price .....2½c piece

Men's and Ladies odd linen collars actual values to 15c each; notion sale price .....1c each

Shell Hair Retainers, actual values to 20c; notion sale price 1c ea

S. E. Corner Thirteenth and Washington Streets

# BLAME RESTS ON PORTER.

COLORED MAN IS HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR SANTA FE WRECK.

Investigation of the wreck of the two Santa Fe limited trains at Luzon station near Point Richmond thus far places the responsibility for the death of Engineer L. L. Baker and James Bennett with Alvin Taylor, the colored porter who threw the switch. Coroner Curry of Contra Costa County has placed Taylor under arrest. The porter says he made a mistake in his orders

He says that he was in the chair car attending to the wants of the passengers when No. 8 stopped at Luzon switch to allow the westbound train to pass and was called out to go ahead and set the switch. Taylor says that the eastbound train had always kept the main line when passing No. 3 and that when he left the cars he did not notice that his train was on the siding instead of on the main line, and that he went ahead and set the switch to let No. 3 in on the siding as he had always done before.

A few moments later the wreck occurred.

Taylor has made a statement to the officials of the road, but this has not been made public and will not be until the inquest, which will be held the latter part of the week.

While the Santa Fe officials are loathe to discuss the accident one of them said:

"The porter that is responsible for yesterday's accident jumped at the last moment to swing a switch that he thought was wrongly set and he did not realize his mistake until it was too late. A few years ago we had a case similar to this, where one of our most faithful men set a switch. While waiting for the train to pass he fell asleep and dreamed in his nap, that he had not performed the duty that he had been accustomed to for months. Awakening suddenly and hearing the roar of the train near by, he jumped to the switch and swung it back and a few seconds later he saw, to his horror, the train ditched before him."

V. Heck, chairman of the legislative board of the Brotherhood of Railway Engineers, says that the accident was due to not having a law which would compell all trains to have two trained brakeman. Mr. Heck says:

"The next Legislature should pass the bill that was rejected last year, but before that can be done the Santa Fe Company should for its own and its passenger protection, adopt the rule there laid down and put at least two trained brakemen on all its long passenger trains."

The funeral of Engineer Baker will be held at Point Richmond at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. The services will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. McDonald pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Point Richmond.

The funeral of Engineer Bennett will be held at Stockton on Wednesday.

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## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

METROPOLE—George Lindenberger and wife, Louisville, Kentucky; E. W. Read, Broadwell, Illinois; C. Lewis Bill, New York; G. A. Yokom, Sollen, Ohio; M. C. Moore, San Rafael; J. Casper and wife, Walla Walla, Washington; W. B. Moore, Walla Walla, Washington; H. Pease and wife, Salt Lake City, Utah; J. E. Cosgriff, Salt Lake City, Utah; Miss Cosgriff, Salt Lake City, Utah; Mrs. H. Craig, Oakland, Cal.; J. M. Gardiner, Santa Cruz; R. C. Cunningham and wife, U. S. Army; F. E. Matthes, Jersey City, New Jersey; F. Lee, Lakeport, Cal.; B. C. Clark, Mexico; S. W. Brown and wife, Albany, New York; E. Baines, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania H. Visick, London, England; J. Walker and wife, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania; Miss Rose Walker, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania; Miss Edith Walker, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.

CRELLIN—Frank B. Young, Lindsay, Cal.; Mrs. E. B. de la Matyr, San Francisco; Mrs. Shirley, San Francisco; Mrs. S. Willis, San Jose; James R. Baker, Chicago; E. S. Smith, San Francisco; Captain Jones, Oakland; Charles L. Hains, Louisiana.

ALBANY—D. Bunson, Clair, Mich.; C. O. Dell, Oakland; Mrs. Miles, Oakland; Wilcut K. Bassett, Mendota, Nevada.

TOURAINE—B. S. Cole, Oakland; Miss Lillian Gorgan, Indianapolis, Indiana; Clinton Gurnee and wife, Oakland; A. W. Rider, Oakland; Miss W. Ezy, San Francisco; Charles L. Gilette.

GALINDO—J. Johnson, Sacramento; C. O. Nelson, Martinez; N. G. Whitney, Oakland; James F. Buchanan, Venus, Nebraska; F. E. Reynolds, San Jose; Al Mary Devine, San Jose; Louis Covell, San Jose; G. W. Macy, San Jose; R. E. Roberts, Santa Cruz; J. G. George Santa Cruz.

ARLINGTON—George H. Mayo, San Francisco; W. H. Tiye, San Francisco; A. E. Rickards, San Francisco; Thos. Costain, Vallejo; T. H. Cunning, Sausalito; A. J. Peterson, S. Francisco; Ed Hart, San Francisco.

### MINERS ARRESTED AND FINED FOR VAGRANCY.

TELLURIDE, Colo., March 1.—Sheriff Rutan, assisted by a detachment of military arrested thirty-seven striking miners on the charge of vagrancy. They were taken before Judge Holmes who fined twenty-five of them and discharged the rest. He gave them until 2 o'clock to decide whether they would go to work and have their fines suspended as a consequence. Otherwise, he said, they would have to leave town or go to jail.

## OPENED NEW DEPARTMENT

The Oakland Jewelry and Optical Co., at 1016 Washington, has opened a loan department in connection with their optical and jewelry business.

M. Citron, the congenial proprietor, has been identified with the mercantile business in Oakland for a number of years and has a large acquaintance.

The plan upon which the new business will operate is to loan money on any proposition.

### THE LUXURIOUS WAY.

Perhaps every Californian family has some one going to the St. Louis World's Fair.

They will enjoy scenery through plate glass windows, satisfy themselves with sumptuous meals in the dining car, please the fancy with the latest books from the train library, go to bed with an electric light in the berth, and exclaim at journey's end: "I've been the luxurious way; see that your ticket reads Santa Fe!"

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